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A line of Silk Satins, all shades 59c, worth 75c.
A line of Two-tone Brocade Satins 85c, worth $1 25.
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A line of Three-Button Kid Gloves (small sizes) 25c, worth $1.
A line of Boys' Cassimere Suits, very nice, $2.75, worth $4.
A line of Youths' Three-Piece All-Wool Suits $6.50, worth $10.
A line of Men's Straw Hats, nice styles 50c, worth $1.
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THE WEATHER.

SIGNAL SERVICE INDICATIONS.

Special Telegram to The Times.

SAN FRANCISCO, April 10—8 p. m.—Indications for succeeding thirty-two hours: Light showers, cloudy weather and rain, extending to extreme southern portion, preceded by fair weather, variable winds, generally northerly.

LOCAL BULLETIN.

LOS ANGELES SIGNAL OFFICE, April 10

Report of 5 p. m. to-day the thermometer registered 68, at 7:07 p. m. 66, and at 7:50 p. m. 59. Report for corresponding periods, 73.03, 67.05, 61.08. Maximum temperature, 68.0. Minimum, 48.0. Weather at 7:07 p. m., cloudy.

The Times.

Corner Temple, Main and New High.

The Flower Festival is over, and the ladies who have had it in charge can now put themselves into the hands of the doctors.

The Santa Barbara Independent, which copied a TIMES editorial without credit, apologizes handsomely, and is forgiven. Bless you, me boy!

Re-election of A. M. Lawrence as Secretary of the Los Angeles Board of Trade and Produce Exchange, is a proper acknowledgment of the faithful and efficient services which that gentleman has rendered during the half year of his incumbency. He is the right man in the right place.

At the late municipal election in Santa Barbara, Rosenberg, the "amoco-a cuss," got 44 votes; Durfee, the doubtful, got 79; Stratton, the dignified, got 97, and Cuffia, the old reliable, got 93 votes and 538 plurality. When the fight was over the populace got out their spy-glasses to look for the grease-spot left where the other fellows stood.

"The Romance of the Orange" is the appropriate title of an editorial in the LOS ANGELES TIMES. There is a good deal of romance about the orange in Southern California. The industry is in with the New York commission merchants' returns, showing a slight profit caused by the cost of nails, boxes, freight and commission.—[San José Mercury.

Already in the Great Northern Citrus belt that truly satisfactory returns from orange-growing are obtained. The New York commission men know this.

At request of the Supervisors, the Agricultural Commissioners, in connection with the two United States Entomologists in the city, are to make a test of the scale-bug remedy proposed by R. M. Leisig, in competition for its prize of $1000 offered by the county. After the completion of this test, the commission will probably be invited to try other compounds and methods. A cheap and thoroughly reliable process is to be shown or the county is under no obligations to pay over the money.

The Southern Pacific Branch Railway Company, which the telegraph tells about this morning, promises a survey of immense benefit to Southern California. Commencing near San Rafael, in San Luis Obispo county, it winds along the coast through that county and Santa Barbara and Ventura, coming into Los Angeles county and forming a junction with the main line of the Southern Pacific at Newhall. This line, which has long been talked of, will furnish communication with one of the richest agricultural, horticultural and dairying sections of Southern California. It will be very beneficial to Los Angeles and a God-send to the neighboring coast counties. Speed the rail!

AMUSEMENTS.

JAMES A. LEWIS.—The Lewis Company close its engagement in Los Angeles tomorrow, playing, afternoon and evening, to-day. In *Diplomacy* last evening, Mr. Lewis was at her best, and portrayed the female villian to a depth of baseness which was simply shocking. The support was fair.

LOS ANGELES CALIFORNIA THEATER COMPANY.—To-morrow evening this company will open at the Grand for a week of first-class dramatic entertainment. On Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday evenings will be presented *The Two Orphans*; on Friday evening and Saturday matinee *Free From*; on Saturday evening *The Lost Heir*. The company comprises the following well-known actors: McKee Rankin, D. H. Harkins, John Wallace, Sam Osborne, C. J. Bishop, H. Kirkland, Hazel Bert, Adele Waters, Rose Williams, Mrs. Osborne, Annie Lockhart and ten others.

Mr. Bunch Talks.

Bunch, the contractor, harrangued about 300 persons from the Courthouse steps last night on the labor problem. He said that if it was the wish of the people of Los Angeles to have work done by white persons, down must go the heathen Chinee. He was afraid the question of some people to do without Chinese labor after May 1st would be of short duration—thought the agitators hadn't the sand to do without it. He intensely gave the Republican party of the State a whack, by referring to Senator Stanford's efforts to elect General Governor, and after that had been accomplished, the Republicans sent Stanford to the United States Senate. For this he thought they ought to be forever damned. While talking Mr. Bunch called attention to a new pair of boots he had just purchased, and which one man had afterwards told him were of Chinese manufacture. He was repeatedly applauded while speaking.

Veterans in New Places.

The Express, which has been looking up the records of the new members of the Press force, hits them off very accurately as follows:

T. Gaier, for many years editorially connected with the Columbus, O., Dispatch, has taken a position on the local department of the TIMES—our reconstructed morning contemporary.

Albert McFarland, one of the new partners in the TIMES, was publisher and editor of the Portsmouth, O., Tribune for over a quarter of a century. It seems that he is not to get tired of well-doing.

Wm. A. Clark, for over twenty years bookkeeper and financier of the old Cincinnati Times, and later of the Toledo Commercial-Telegram, has counting-room charge under the new deal in the morning Times. He is a veteran in that line of service."

Improvements in the City Water Works.

The City Water Company is working out a plan for bringing water from Crystal Springs, on the Los Feliz rancho, to supply their system. They expect to bring it in an open ditch, as the present supply is brought, and with this added they hope to keep pace with the growth of the city. The company owns a large area of water-bearing land in the Los Feliz rancho.

Delayed Practitioner.

The publication of The Practitioner for this month is somewhat delayed by the non-arrival of paper ordered from the East. Those who look upon this publication as a professional and literary treat (and it is) must contain their souls in patience a little while. When the paper is put up on the railroads, and the goods send forward their freight, the issue will be forthcoming; likewise the regulator.

UNDER ARMS.

The Situation Critical at East St. Louis.

ORDER PRESERVED BY THE TROOPS.

Death of Two More Victims of Friday's Affray—The Knights Send a Message to Gould.

Associated Press Dispatches to The Times.

ST. LOUIS, April 10.—The fires which broke out in East St. Louis, at 11 o'clock last night, are now under control. Fifty freight cars, the scale house and lumber yard were completely destroyed. The roundhouse and shops were partially saved. The fires were all the work of incendiaries. Large crowds of strikers and citizens are collected in groups over the city, and the strikers are still determined to have revenge for yesterday's massacre.

Public sentiment is running high. Firemen and engines were sent from St. Louis to help put out the fires, but their hose was cut, and the men were intimidated. They returned without assisting.

IN A STATE OF PANIC.

EAST ST. LOUIS, Ill., April 10.—The city has been in a state of panic during the entire night, owing to numerous incendiary fires, but with the presence of the military, which is guarding the main lines, something like order appears to promise for the day. The sheriff has dismissed all of his deputies, with the exception of three or four men, depending chiefly upon troops. Under their protection all of the platform men and yardmen of the Burlington road have returned, and freight trains are moving this morning without molestation.

IN FAVOR OF LAW AND ORDER.

EAST ST. LOUIS, Ill., April 10.—The Adjutant General was waited upon this afternoon by Bailey and members of the general committee of the Knights of Labor, who desired the release of certain members of their Order, now under arrest for refusing to keep off of the railroad grounds when directed by troops. The request was not refused. The Knights declared their willingness and desire to aid the State in preserving order, deprecated the affair of yesterday and expressed the view that those of their Order were engaged in the affair or responsible for the riots succeeding.

The hotels of the city, and all property-holders of shops have been warned not to entertain or harbor any of the soldiers or non-strikers.

THE VICTIMS.

EAST ST. LOUIS, April 10.—It transpires that a young man named Andrew Jones, a Knight of Labor, was shot yesterday, and he is not expected to live through the day. He will make the eighth person killed thus far.

ST. LOUIS, April 10.—The body of L. E. Thompson, who was shot by St. Louis Deputy Sheriffs yesterday afternoon on the bridge and died last evening at 7:35 at the hospital, was taken to the morgue to-day. Dr. Deane, in his statement to the Coroner, says that he was a non-combatant, and none present of the occurrences so that it could be used in case of his death, but the wounded man would not make any.

This afternoon H. B. Stone, General Manager of the Chicago, Burlington and Quincy, called at the morgue and identified the body as that of a ring-leader of the strike across the river. He said, "I suppose the dead man will be stopped in our yards last Wednesday, leading a gang of two hundred strikers.

QUIET RESTORED.

More Troops Arrive—The Lawless Element Subsides.

EAST ST. LOUIS, Ill., April 10.—The Adjutant General, to-night, by direction of the Governor, ordered seven additional companies of the Fifth and Eighth regiments to report here at once. This is not owing to fear of an open conflict with the riotous element, but simply as a precaution to insure guarding railroad and other valuable property. The railroad yards and grain warehouses extend for a distance of fully six miles along the bank of the Mississippi river, and the difficulty which is presented of guarding property scattered over such an extent of territory requires necessarily a very large body of men. The additional force will make seventeen companies of infantry in addition to the Gatling gun detachment.

A few small clusters of men have been seen on the streets in the vicinity of the railroad crossings, but thus far they have preserved an utter silence, and have displayed no desire to provoke a conflict. The taunting and threatening to which the deputy sheriffs were subjected has ceased.

At 11 p. m. reports from every portion of the city show that absolute quiet prevails up to this hour, and the thieves are deserted, and no arrests have occurred of trespassers upon railroad property. The night is stormy.

THE STRIKERS' SIDE.

They Declare Gould the Cause of the Tragedy.

ST. LOUIS, April 10.—The Executive Board of the Knights of Labor, when the news of the shooting reached them, proceeded at once to East St. Louis, and there conferred with a number of citizens and got a general opinion as to the terrible affair. After advising everyone against violence the Board returned to this side, and prepared the following telegram and sent it out as an expression of the Board's opinion of the affair:

ST. LOUIS, April 9, 1886.—*Jay Gould, New York:* The following advertisement appeared in many of the leading papers, of the 7th inst.:

"LOUISVILLE AND NASHVILLE RAILROAD COMPANY, OFFICE OF THE AGENT, April 6.—Notice: Ten good men from here are wanted as deputy marshals at East St. Louis, to protect the Louisville and Nashville employés. Five dollars per day and board will be paid. Also a number of platform men can be given employment. Only men who have plenty of grit and mean business need apply. Apply at once to T. S. Genung, Agent."

How well this advertisement has been answered is seen by their work of to-day in East St. Louis. Six men and one woman were murdered by those who had "plenty of grit and meant business." By your actions in refusing the peaceful negotiations solicited by the Board of Arbitration, you and you alone must be held responsible by the world for the lives of these innocent people.

[Signed] JOHN H. HAYES.

Per order of the Board.

AN INTERVIEW WITH POWDERLY.

SCRANTON, Pa., April 10.—General Master Workman Powderly this morning stated that the rumor that he was preparing a statement to the public or the Knights, regarding the present centre troubles, was without foundation. "The Executive Board," said he, "has done everything possible for a settlement of the difficulty, and the responsibility for what follows rests entirely upon others. Matters will have to take their own course, unless arbitration is conceded to. If this is done then there will be no difficulty." While Mr. Powderly has improved in health he is by no means a well man.

Killed on the Rail.

TEHACHEPI, April 10.—A special train with the Assistant Superintendent on board, ran over a handcar near Keene, and killed two Chinamen and badly injured one white man, who will die.

PRESIDENT DIAZ.

His Message on the Killing of Capt. Crawford.

WASHINGTON, April 10.—Señor Romero, the Mexican Minister, has just received the message the President of Mexico transmitted to the Mexican Congress on its convening on the 1st inst. A brief synopsis of what the President said of the encounter in which Capt. Crawford was killed was telegraphed from the City of Mexico. The following is a translation of that passage of the message:

On the 23d of January last the Governor of the State of Chihuahua, in a report by telegraph to the War Department, says that on the 11th said Mexican forces had an encounter at a place called Tiopar, in the mountains, with 200 Indians commanded by foreign officers, and had killed five persons, among them their captain (Crawford). On our side several persons were also killed and wounded. Among the former were the major commanding the troops and a lieutenant. This incident was somewhat distorted by the North American newspapers, and this gave to the suspicion in the United States that the killing of Captain Crawford in said encounter had been intentionally caused by our troops, as they (the papers) assert that they (the Mexican troops) fired against the officers of the United States Army knowingly. Public opinion was somewhat excited in both countries, and the two governments were compelled to order a careful investigation of the facts. For my part, and taking into consideration what has been ascertained up to the present time, I have the conviction that in said encounter our troops thought that they were fighting hostile Indians, because they were following the trace of the savages and of cattle which had been stolen, and they could not possibly imagine that said Indians had been joined by others similar in aspect, and among whom were were a very few soldiers or officers of the United States. The killing of the courageous and deserving officers and citizens of both countries is a very lamentable affair; but our troops, which were composed of citizens of the State of Chihuahua, will always have the excuse that they could not take as friends the Indians who were in front, when they well knew that, according to the agreement for the passing of troops over the frontier, only the regular troops of both Republics can pass reciprocally the boundary line when they are following the hot trail of hostile Indians."

TURF TOPICS.

The Blood-horse Races—Palo Alto Trotters Sent East.

SAN FRANCISCO, April 10.—Considering the stormy weather and muddy condition of the track, there was a fair attendance at the Pacific Coast Blood-horse Association's meeting to-day. There was a steady downpour of rain from the beginning of the sport to the finish.

First race, purse of $400, all ages, one mile—Won easily by Garland; Miss Courtney second; Nielson third; time, 1:47. Precious, who was a strong favorite over the entire field, finished last.

Second race, two-year-olds, half mile —There were nine starters. They got away to a most excellent start. Robson slightly leading, followed closely by Gracious, who soon overhauled the leader, and won in a canter, by three lengths; Robinson second; Miss Courtney a good third; time, .53.

Third race, trial stakes, all ages, one mile and a quarter—Starters, Binette, Tyrant, John A. and Patti. They got off to a capital start, John A. quickly going to the front, which he retained till the stretch was reached, when Tyrant was seen to move up and after a driving finish Duffy landed Tyrant a winner by a head; Patti, third; Binnette, last; time, 2:14.

Fourth race, Winters's stake—Walk over for Haggin's entries.

Fifth and last race, selling purse, mile and sixteenth—Billy Ayres won; Moonlight, second; Duke of Monday, the favorite, third; time, 1:54.

VALUABLE TROTTERS SENT EAST.

One of the most valuable shipments of trotting horses ever known in the annals of the turf was made from the Palo Alto Ranch to the east to-day. It consisted of 113 head, which required twelve cars for their accommodation. One hundred and five go to New York to be sold at auction May 4th. The remaining eight form the pick of the Palo Alto stock, and have engagements in eastern races.

HOME RULE.

Prospects for the Bill—Proposed Tory Amendments.

BIRMINGHAM, April 10.—Reports are in circulation here that if Gladstone's Irish bill is rejected, Lord Salisbury will be called upon to form a ministry to continue until next year, and that Chamberlain and Lord Hartington will consent to this, provided Lord Salisbury agrees to introduce no contention schemes. The arrangement is said to be based upon the secrecy of both parties to avoid an election at the present time.

AN ORANGE DEMONSTRATION.

DUBLIN, April 10.—The Orangemen of Armagh made a public demonstration to-day against Mr. Gladstone's Irish proposals. They adopted resolutions denouncing the Premier and declaring their allegiance to the empire.

A NOVEL TESTIMONIAL.

WASHINGTON, April 10.—A number of prominent Irishmen met to-night and resolved to prepare a testimonial to Gladstone and Parnell "in the shape of two mammoth albums. In these albums they propose to collect the editorials of American newspapers published since Mr. Gladstone's argument Thursday in the House of Commons. For this purpose they desire every newspaper published in cities in the United States having a population of 10,000 and upwards to send two copies of their issues, containing editorial comments upon Gladstone's speech, to J. D. O'Connell at Washington.

SAN FRANCISCO.

Collector Hager and the Chinese Minister Bony the Butcher.

SAN FRANCISCO, April 10.—Port Collector Hager, Surveyor Tinnin and Superintendent Lawton, of the Mint, to-day called on the Chinese Embassy at the Palace Hotel. The Chinese Minister was assured that there was no intention on the part of the government officers to treat his government or himself with discourtesy on his arrival. All that was desired was to obtain identification of his official character. Superintendent Lawton extended an invitation to the Minister to visit and examine the workings of the Mint, which was accepted.

A NEW THEATRICAL DEBUTANTE.

Miss Susie Williams, nee McMillan, a well-known society belle, who created a considerable sensation in society a short time ago by her marriage, will appear in Los Angeles next week as "Gilberte" in *From Frou*, under the management of the California Theater.

THE VITICULTURISTS.

The State Viticultural Commission has issued circulars to the vine growers of the State inviting them to send samples of their products to Washington to be exhibited at the National Grape-Growers' Convention.

The Rainfall.

SAN FRANCISCO, April 10.—Rain has fallen in all parts of the State except south of San Luis Obispo. In many places streams are reported in danger of overflowing, and serious injury is threatened to crops in some places.

SAN FRANCISCO, April 10.—The rain, which ceased falling for several hours during the early part of the day, began again this afternoon, and has continued steadily ever since. Every indication points to its continuance during the night. The total fall during the fall is nearly two inches.

WASHINGTON.

The Senate Passes the Bill to Admit

WASHINGTON TERRITORY AS A STATE.

Hearst Takes His Seat—His First Act to Vote Against the Pacific Coast Applicant.

Associated Press Dispatches to The Times.

WASHINGTON, April 10.—In the Senate, after the routine business, on motion of Mr. Platt, the Washington Territory Admission bill was taken up.

Mr. Mitchell of Oregon spoke in support of the bill. He also advocated the speedy admission of Dakota and Montana.

The bill was then brought to a vote, and passed substantially as reported from the Committee—yeas, 30; nays, 13.

The Democrats voting with the Republicans in the affirmative were Messrs. Butler, George, Jones of Arkansas and Morgan.

The negative votes were all Democratic, among them being that of Mr. Hearst, whose first vote was cast on this bill.

The bill as passed authorizes the inhabitants of the Territory of Washington and the adjacent part of the Territory of Idaho to form a State government with the name of the "State of Washington." It provides for a convention to formulate and adopt a constitution which shall be republican in form, and not repugnant to the Constitution of the United States or to the principles of the Declaration of Independence. Persons who shall be entitled to vote for members of the Convention are described by the bill to be "qualified electors, resident within said boundaries." The convention is to meet at Walla Walla at such time as the Governor of the Territory shall designate, and when the new constitution shall be completed it shall be submitted to the people for ratification. If ratified, it shall be so certified to the President of the United States, who, if the constitution conform to the requirements of this bill, shall by public proclamation declare the State admitted to the Union on an equal footing with the original States, without further action by Congress. The bill now goes to the House of Representatives for concurrence.

THE WHEAT CROP.

April Report of the Department of Agriculture.

WASHINGTON, April 10.—The Department of Agriculture reports that the official statistical investigation for April makes a reduction of the winter wheat area of 3,500,000 acres from the breadth seeded two years ago, and 5 per cent. reduction from the area seeded a year ago. On the Atlantic coast there has been a very slight reduction, and on the Pacific Coast. The largest decrease is in Illinois, Kansas and Missouri. In comparison with the breadth harvested last year there is an increase. A moderate degree of protection by snow has been enjoyed, though the covering has neither been heavy nor continuous. Winds have laid bare the exposed surface and injured the valleys deeper. Winter-killing in patches is therefore reported to some extent. The general average of condition is 92½, against 76 last year, the lowest ever reported, and against 94 two years ago. Illinois shows 86, Missouri 94, Kansas 88, California 100.

NATIONAL NOTES.

Stanford Introduces His New Colleague to the Senate.

WASHINGTON, April 10.—Senator Stanford called in his carriage at Senator Hearst's house yesterday and took him to the Capitol. There he introduced him to the Senators. After the opening of the Senate Mr Stanford presented Mr. Hearst's credentials and accompanied him to the desk of the President *pro tem*. Mr. Sherman read the oath, to which Mr. Hearst assented. Mr. Sherman congratulated the new comer conferred. He welcomed him to his place among them. Senator Hearst has appointed ex-Judge Sepulveda, whom he found in Mexico, as his private secretary. Judge Sepulveda was a candidate for the Supreme bench at the last State election in California.

MORE LAND FOR SETTLERS.

Commissioner Sparks has recommended to Secretary Lamar a revocation of the withdrawal of indemnity lands in Missouri, made fifteen years ago for the benefit of the Atlantic and Pacific Railroad Company, and a restoration of the unappropriated lands to entry under the settlement laws.

LIGHTHOUSES FOR CALIFORNIA.

In the House to-day, bills were passed for the establishment of lighthouses at San Louis Obispo, Cal., and Point Sur, Cal.

THE PEMBERTON MILLS

Again the Scene of an Appalling Catastrophe.

LAWRENCE, Mass., April 10.—The Pemberton mills caught fire this morning. A number of firemen stationed themselves on the roof of the mill adjoining. Their weight was too great, the roof gave way and the firemen went down with it. The fire broke out in the picker's room. At 11:40 a general alarm was rung in, summoning the whole department. All the operatives have been sent out. Ten persons were buried when the walls fell, including four firemen. In addition to these, a number of others were badly injured. At 1:30 the fire began to succumb to the efforts of the firemen, and it is probable that the main wall will be saved. Search is now being made for the men who were buried. Should the fire spread to the rest of the building it will be impossible to prevent the loss of millions of dollars, as the long row of wooden buildings is contingous.

A Bank Reopened.

ALBUQUERQUE, N. M., April 10.—The Albuquerque National bank, which suspended a few weeks ago on account of the alleged irregularities of Cashier W. K. P. Wilson, reopened its doors this morning with a new set of officers and directors. The report of the agent of the Comptroller of the Currency corroborates the rumor that the closing of the bank was caused by a personal quarrel between ex-President Bell and ex-Cashier Wilson.

Death of Hon. John Welsh.

PHILADELPHIA, April 10.—Hon. John Welsh, ex-Minister to England, died at 4 o'clock this afternoon.

Mr. Ward Returns.

Ben E. Ward, who has returned to semi-trop. for a permanent residence, makes his bow to the public in a double-column advertisement this morning. He has established an office at No. 31 North Spring street (old city and county building) and will devote himself to real estate and insurance. In both he has had wide experience. He will make a specialty of handling large tracts of land, and will sell at auction. He has a large auction sale on the bills for this month.

A. O. H. Ball.

At a special meeting of the Ancient Order of Hybernians last night, arrangements were made for the Grand Annual Ball on Easter Monday night, which promises to excel anything heretofore given by the order in this place.

FATAL PARALYSIS

Ends the Life of an Old Man in a Drug Store.

About six years ago J. J. Platte, an old German, came to Los Angeles from San Francisco, and for some time has been quite well known as a collector of accounts for various persons and firms in the city. Yesterday afternoon about two o'clock he was in Giese's drug store, near the postoffice, and went out in the street. In a few minutes he returned, and was noticed to walk lamely. Mr. Giese saw that he was suffering from paralysis, and immediately assisted him to a lounge in a rear room, and summoned Drs. Bicknell and Worthington, who, however, were unable to afford him any relief, and it soon became apparent that the old man's days on earth were numbered. Drs. Worthington, Lasher and Percival were also present during the afternoon. Gradually he sank until about 7 o'clock in the evening, when the disease had reached his vitals and the silver cord was parted, releasing the spirit from its earthly tenement, which it had inhabited for seventy-three years.

The remains were taken to Garrett & Naitzke's to be prepared for sepulture. Mr. Plath was formerly from Davenport, Iowa, and resided on South Alameda street. He had a family, the members of which, it is learned, are not now in the city.

L. O. L.

A Fine Entertainment Friday Evening.

The Lovers of Literature, better known as the L. O. L.'s, gave an entertainment in the Normal Hall, last Friday evening. Following was the programme:

Quartette—Misses Hawks and Tomber, Messrs. McIlmoil and Pendleton.

Address—President Kellam.

Essay—Miss Baker.

Recitation—Miss Lizzie Henderson.

Recitation—Miss Eckert.

Duet—Messrs. McIlmoil and Holladay.

A farce entitled *Who's Who?*—Normal Comedy Company, with the following cast: "Lawrence Lavander," a valet from Mayfair, W. W. Collins; "Mr. Bloomfield Brambleton," a country gentleman, W. E. McIlmoil; "Simmonides Swanhopper," a model young bachelor, E. R. Kellam; "Cicely," Brambleton's daughter, Miss Maggie Clark; "Matilda Jane," a superior housemaid, Miss Lillian Baird.

Recitation—Miss Eckert.

Declamation—J. E. Wright.

Duet—Misses Wright, Messrs. Campbell and Shirley.

The farce, *Who's Who*, made a very decided hit, keeping the house convulsed with laughter, during the entire three-quarters of an hour required for its recitation.

These lovers of literature have proven that their society is one of which any institution of learning might feel proud.

VERNON.

A Fine Entertainment Given by the Literary Society.

The usual semi-monthly meeting was held on Thursday, 8th inst., and was, by unanimous consent, changed from literary exercises to musical. The programme was somewhat informal, but was a grand success.

1. Vernon brass and string band—Variations "Sweet By and By," etc.

2. Solo—"Sleep Well," by Abt, Miss Hochholzer.

3. Duet—The Misses McQuade.

4. Comic Trio — "Give the Boys a Chance," Messrs. Butterfield, Wolf and Miss Wolf.

5. Baritone Solo—"The Diver," by E. A. Baird.

6. "When the Mists Have Rolled Away," song, by Mr. Arbuckle. As an encore, "Irish Volunteer."

7. Comic Song—"Picnic Party," Mr. Baird.

8. Battle of Murfreesboro—Descriptive song, by Mr. Arbuckle.

9. Solo, "Sweet Chamouni," Miss Hochholzer.

10. "Grandle Bed," Mr. Arbuckle.

11. Selections, Vernon Band.

12. "Last Hymn," Mr. Baird.

J. W. Gardener, of No. 30 South Spring street, kindly leant for the evening a Packard orchestral organ, whose fine tones, under the skillful management of Messrs. Arbuckle and Baird, were fully brought out, and gained for itself a host of admirers. JAMES MACKENZIE.

Board of Supervisors.

SATURDAY, April 10.

Board met pursuant to adjournment. All present.

In the matter of Walnut avenue and its extension in Los Nietos and San Antonio road districts, report of viewers was approved. Ordered that the same be filed, and otherwise improving the upper San Gabriel road.

The petition of the Union Water Company, of Anaheim, that the Board fix the water rates, on motion of Supervisor Hinds was not acceded to.

Supervisor Foord moved that the members of the Horticultural Commission, in conjunction with the two entomologists now in this city in the employ of the United States, are hereby requested to make a thorough test of the remedy recently offered to this county by B. M. Lelong, for the destruction of the white scale. Motion carried.

Adjourned until April 14, at 10 a. m.

Musical.

The lovers of good music will be pleased to learn that Mrs. Nannie Cushing, a well-known and successful teacher of vocal and instrumental music, will give a grand concert in the near future. This lady has resided in Los Angeles for a year past, and came highly recommended. Those who have been fortunate enough to hear her sing, speak in the highest terms of her exquisite and highly cultivated voice, and will be glad to learn that she has consented to give the public an opportunity of hearing her. Mrs. Catching will be assisted by some of our best local talent. One of the features of the evening will be Hayden's Toy Symphony played by eight little girls, with a chorus of young ladies, sixteen voices. Our music loving people may expect a rare treat.

Short Grace on Cut Rates.

Cut rates on freight will continue up to and include Saturday, April 17. The charges are thirty cents per hundred pounds from Chicago, St. Louis and Kansas City, and fifty cents from Boston and New York. The minumun charge, however, is $2 for any shipment, be it one pound or six hundred pounds.

BRIEFS.

The city undertakers report a total of thirteen deaths in the city and country during last week.

Manuel Den came down from Santa Barbara yesterday with a band of horses for N. A. Covarrubias.

The criminal calendar will be called in Judge Cheney's court to-morrow, at 10 a. m., and the civil calendar at 2 p. m.

There was a considerable shower of rain after eleven o'clock last night, which drove belated pedestrians from the streets to the various places still open.

Marriage licences were yesterday issued to John Lastelle and Rose Laniive, John Douglass and Clara Bridge and to two other pairs, names not given.

In the Mayor's court yesterday, C. L. Connors, John Mathews and Richard Roe, three opium fiends, were fined ten dollars each. Ah Sam, arrested for leaving his team unhitched, forfeited his ball.

Soldiers' Memorial Day comes on Sunday this year (May 31st), and the programme will probably be arranged for Saturday or Monday. The matter was being discussed in the Sheriff's office yesterday afternoon.

List of undelivered telegrams at Western Union Telegraph office, 17 N. Main street: John Sensinger, Frank Overbeck, William M. Tilden, Mrs. H. J. Hastings, Mrs. Theresa Bashr, Ed. Mulford, James Eyestone, Samuel Lewis, Robert Briggs, E. E. Caruthers.

Friends of Dr. Murray, of Banning, claim that that gentleman has been greatly wronged by the reports of the Murray-Gillig shooting affray which occurred early in March. The supposably aggrieved party, it seems, does not care to appeal to the law for redress.

THE RAILWAYS.

Santa Barbara to Be Connected With Los Angeles.

ATCHISON'S LATEST ACQUISITION.

The California Southern Absorbed in the Santa Fe System—Rates Still Ruling Low.

Associated Press Dispatches to The Times.

SAN FRANCISCO, April 10.—The Southern Pacific Branch Railway Company has filed articles of incorporation with the following Directors: Charles F. Crocker, V. T. Smith, W. V. Huntington, W. E. Brown, Timothy Hopkins, S. T. Gage, and John L. Willcutt. The amount of capital stock is fixed at $10,000,000, divided into 100,000 shares, of which 2500 have already been subscribed for by the Directors. The new road is to extend from a point upon the Southern Pacific railroad, near San Miguel, in San Luis Obispo county, to (Newhall; passing through San Luis Obispo, Santa Barbara, Ventura and Los Angeles counties, and again connecting with the Southern Pacific. The distance is estimated to be about 250 miles.

LOW RATES CONTINUED.

NEW YORK, April 10.—The transcontinental lines again have extended the low rates to California points. They announce that the rate is extended until Tuesday, but practically they are extending rates until Saturday next.

THE ATCHISON ABSORBS THE CALIFORNIA SOUTHERN.

SAN FRANCISCO, April 10.—The Bulletin's Boston special says: The negotiations which have been proceeding between the Atchison, Topeka and Santa Fé and the California

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Los Angeles Commercially.

That the commercial importance of Southern California, in a broad and national sense, is an accomplished fact, must be conceded by even the most conservative economists. Endowed by the Almighty with a climate unequaled on the continent, she is annually sought as a delight by thousands from the less-favored portions of our country, East and North. Her climate, as rich and harmonious as her scenery, is nature's free offering to all; but incidentally becomes a contributor to the commercial prosperity of her citizens; and in so far as the climate, therefore, of Southern California is sought by the outside world for health and comfort, it will likewise be a factor of commercial importance. In a commercial sense our climate is nature's gift of surplus production over and above local consumption, which finds a hankering demand in every portion of the land and among all peoples.

The commercial importance of Southern California, however, is an accomplished fact in the fold of her industries, the wealth of her soils, the product of her precious fruit groves and the variety of her mineral deposits; the latter, however, yet awaiting to be developed. Their value and permanent character is, however, already assured. It is in the field of agriculture and horticulture that in a commercial sense Southern California has passed the Rubicon of experiment. Indeed it has been known for many years that her fertile soils and semi-tropical climate, combined with the ingenuity and industry of the intelligent husbandman, always returned a prolific reward. The problem, therefore, to her citizens, that during the earlier years of her infant industries remained to be solved, in a commercial point of view, was not the capabilities of her soil and climate, the extent of her productive area belt, and the quality and quantity of her productions; these had all been proven to be adequate to meet all and every possible demand; but the problem awaiting in the past to be solved was, "How can our surplus be got to its legitimate markets—the great Western and Northern States and Territories, whose soils and climates will not produce the semi-tropical fruits?" "When can we have transcontinental transportation at a rate which will enable us to lay our surplus in those natural markets at a reasonable profit to the producer?" The experience of our people the past three years, and more particularly the past and present season, has solved these questions.

The competition of three great Southern transcontinental railroad lines has solved the main problem which stood in the way; and our surplus citrus products have been laid down in their natural market, yielding profitable returns to the producer.

The natural grades of the continent have brought the competitive railroad transportation interests of the East into the very heart of Southern California in their struggle to reach the Pacific Ocean, and to share in Old Ocean's traffic with the Asiatic continent. These competitive transcontinental lines are here—are here to remain; and henceforth transportation rates of freight and travel will be governed (as such points as these competitive lines reach) by the law of supply and demand. Southern California need no longer beg for living rates. Monopoly demands—Competition solicits. Southern California therefore enters the field of national commerce an independent factor, with varied and valuable semi-tropical products, with a vast market equally accessible to her in all its parts, whether at St. Louis, Chicago, Milwaukee, St. Paul, Denver, Kansas City, Cleveland, Toledo, Detroit or Cincinnati; each centre surrounded with a teeming population rapidly increasing, and each equally available as a market, assuring the permanency and stability of the commercial independence of Southern California.

Capital engaged in trade and commerce (the manufacturer, the merchant and the general dealer) is the most conservative element in human affairs. The most sensitive to anticipate a doubt or uncertainty, but always courageous to grasp an opportunity; it is rational and logical in its operations. No better evidence can be offered in proof of the permanency and certainty of the commercial independence of Southern California than is found in the value and character of the business structures erected in this city during the past three years, aggregating in value over $3,500,000, ranging in cost from $2000 to $35,000, and this does not include hundreds of structures of lesser pretensions—comfortable homes and temporary business houses costing less than $2000 each.

So rapid and permanent has been the growth of Southern California during the past five years, that the hotel facilities of this city, which were thought five years ago to be ample for all demands of the immediate future, require to-day to be doubled to accommodate the traveling and business public. The permanent population of Los Angeles county has more than doubled during the past five years. The products of the county in agriculture and horticulture, covering the entire range of the cereals and fruits, have increased nearly five fold since 1878, the details of which have from time to time been made public through the columns of the TIMES.

What is said of Los Angeles city and county can with truth be taken as the pulse beat of progress and development which throbs throughout entire Southern California.

There are, however, yet some obstacles in the way of Southern California's commercial disenthralment; these, our sagacious business public are alive to. They are earnestly moving to overcome them. One of these is the uncompleted improvements contemplated by the general government to make Wilmington harbor available for heavy draft vessels, which after having expended $750,000 to improve, now requires only $250,000 to complete. This matter is now in the hands of Congress, and if members will carefully consider the immediate and pressing wants of commerce on the line of the great southern transcontinental belt, as set forth in the able and convincing memorials recently forwarded to them by the Los Angeles Board of Trade and by the citizens' committee, there can be but little doubt of the appropriation being made as prayed for, and the present great inconvenience and danger to commerce speedily removed. Other evils are more in the nature of annoying and expensive inconveniences to the business public; among which is the necessity of traveling four hundred miles to attend to business and litigation in the United States Court. These and kindred evils an energetic and intelligent business public is striving to correct, while the marvelous growth and development of Southern California require their speedy removal.

THE SAUNTERER.

It is a matter of surprise to one traversing the hills to the west and the northwest of the city that this most desirable outlying section surrounding Los Angeles has not long before this attracted the attention of the capitalist and house-builder, so desirable is it for location, healthfulness and for its broad and beautiful perspective.

Yesterday the Saunterer made a tour of these hills and enjoyed a view such as few localities afford, and learned something of the improvements already made, and those which are contemplated in the near future.

Following the line of cable road up Temple street, and passing many new and inviting homes, the Saunterer turned to the hills in the rear of the company's engine house, driving over newly opened streets until we reached the summit of the

ANGELINO HEIGHTS,

which is now being made ready for the house-builder. From the summit of these heights, so easily accessible, a wonderful panorama is outspread, forgetting that ere long into a perfect landscape is here embraced. From these upper levels can be seen the grand uplift of the Sierra Madre, the rolling hills skirting the broad valley, and far away, hoary old Baldy, with his crown of everlasting snow; Wilmington, stretching through the transparent atmosphere the slender spars of its ships and the smoke of its commerce; the circling mountains of the San Fernando range, with their broken and craggy sides clothed in soft shade and purple; the broad valley lying between the mountains and the sea; the verdure-clad plains with their groves of eucalypti and pepper, and right and left away the vineyard and orchard, stretching away to the coast, and, nearer, the city, outspread in every direction along the valley, and climbing the surrounding amphitheatre of hills, and then, looking beyond it again, you see the sea sparkling in the bright sunshine, while its breezes sweep up cool and fresh, brushing away every breath of malaria and every touch of sultriness from the semi-tropic atmosphere.

Nature must have been in her most beneficent mood when she fashioned these hills and gave them to Los Angeles for her suburban homes.

In this tract many new arrivals from the East will build during the summer, men of wealth from Iowa, Kansas, Illinois, Arkansas, Nevada and from New York and elsewhere, from widely different parts of the country, and these grand old hills, dotted with elegant and costly homes, with wide avenues skirting them, and green trees dropping their shade, will soon present one of the fairest features of our landscape.

Turning backward, down the grass clad slopes, The Saunterer passed the new engine house of the cable car line, a neat two-story frame building now nearly completed, and passed around the base of the hill to its front, in the direction of the Elks Villa College. Here in this tract, owned by the Los Angeles Improvement Company, new houses are going up on every hand. Many handsome cottages are nearing completion, and immediately upon the line of the cable road the foundations for three or four others have been laid. New streets are being opened here, and brush grading is in progress, mud holes and gulches are being filled up, and in every direction are signs of growth and progress. It the plan, suggested by the company, of leasing the college for a hotel, is carried out, it will be a great advantage to that section of the city, and one that will be fully appreciated by the wealthy tourist. There are ample improved grounds about the building, and the outlook is beautiful in whatever direction the eye may turn.

The beautiful hills of Los Angeles! The grand and populous city of the future will cover them, and they will be its crowning glory and its pride.

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The Saunterer was amused at a little chap of perhaps twelve years, who was at the Tabernacle the other evening.

"What yer goin' to have ter night?" he inquired of one of the ladies who was busily engaged in fitting up her booth.

"A procession and grand march, with fine music," she replied.

"A percession?" he exclaimed, with infinite scorn and disgust in his voice. "A percession! I don't want to see no percession. I was here the fust night, an' couldn't see nothing, there was such a jam; besides I dirtied my clothes all up, and they post twelve dollars and a half," and he moped along with a scorn too full for further utterance.

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At the time the orphans visited the Tabernacle some benevolent person gave to a bright, sweet-faced little girl among them a paper of candy, telling her to divide it with her little friends. Promptly the little miss opened her precious paper, and, taking out a piece, she gave it to the one nearest her, and so on, piece by piece, as she passed among them, until it was all divided, keeping one bit for herself each time that she passed around the circle, until all was gone. There was one little bit left over, but her sense of justice was so keen she would not keep it herself, but found a little one standing without, to whom she gave it, with a smiling face. Was ever sweeter generosity or more careful justice than this?

Written for the TIMES.

In Memoriam.

Life's keenest joys and woes unknown, my friend,
Thou wast it thine to die! Gently he came,
Thy great guest, Death. Thou didst not hear his step,
Nor fear his coming, till he joined us there,
At thy pale side. For there, still on thy face
Shone the old tender smile of all thy days,
Yet in thine eyes the light of hope and youth.
To-day the bitter lot of joy is ours,
Thine—what? The stillness of eternal peace,
Or wakening into a more eager strife?
But life and love and pain are sweet, and so
Couldst thou not wait a little while and taste
Them to their full? Death was unkind to thee,
Quick wit, strong will, fond heart, rift quite
Ere half they grew to fair fulfillment.
Yet—sweetheart mine, thou has escaped the worst—
Thou ne'er will know my dull satisty.

M. D. L.

"INJUNS!"

A "Times" Commissioner With Bucks and Bronchos.

ALSO SQUAWS, PAPOOSES AND PONIES.

An Inner View of Apache Life and Labor—The "Grey Fox" and the Work He Has Done.

[STAFF CORRESPONDENCE OF THE TIMES.]

FORT BOWIE, A. T., April 7, 1886.—Well, the agony is over for the time being. What new excitement we are to have can be told only by the last of the week and by General Miles. It is believed by some that the new commander will pick up the whole force at his disposal and fling it at Mexican space at once, in hope of hitting Geronimo with some scattering fragments. Others, looking at the circumstances more conservatively, opine that Miles will merely "lay for" the remaining renegades; and whenever he sees a head, hit it, but not indulge in preliminary beating of the bush. You see, the closing work of Gen. Crook's administration has put an entirely new face on the Apache situation. Instead of 110 raiders, as there were two weeks ago, there are now but 34. Instead of an army with six war chiefs, there is now a handful of men with two leaders—Geronimo the fluent talker, and Natchita the hereditary chief, who is but a half-hearted warrior. Chihuahua, Nanay, Kut le and Ulzanna (commonly corrupted to Hosanna) are now on the way, with their warriors, their squaws and their children, a band of 76 in all, to a Floridian prison. Instead of being hampered by babies, old women and numerous young squaws, the outstanding renegades have 14 able-bodied squaws to do their work, no children and no incumbrances. If it hung on the ragged edge of impossibility to catch them before, when so encumbered, what will it be now? But there is another matter. Having been purged unceasingly for the last ten months, it is probable that they will now lurk in the far fastnesses of the Mexican mountains, and not trouble our side of the line for a considerable time. This is the more likely from the fact that all their people have been put beyond their reach. Had the captives been sent back to the Reservation, where a few of the ringleaders, the outstanding hostiles would probably have raided up there and got them out again, but now they have no show of getting reinforcements, nor even of recovering their families. This is apt to break them up. I am inclined to believe that if they could be communicated with to-day, and told the exact facts, that they would hand Geronimo to-morrow—all but perhaps Geronimo and three or four of his intimate followers—to give themselves up. Unluckily, no such thing as will try to telephone to a comet.

At all events, that to-day's consumation scores a big

VALLEY FOR GEN. CROOK,

every fair-minded person must admit. He has reduced the number of renegades on the warpath by four-fifths within a fortnight, without losing a drop of American blood. It is a creditable wind-up to a remarkable campaign, even though the Grey Fox is now removed from the power of absolutely controlling the last matter save in the capture of the last hostile. In view of these facts, if any one wants to call this campaign a failure, of course there is nothing to hinder.

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As one of the results of the fanciful "news" that has been furnished throughout, we have heard nothing but Geronimo, Geronimo, Geronimo. One would fancy that there was only one Apache that has been off the reservation; and there is not much question but that it would have made a bigger impression on the public if instead of the seventy-six prisoners now rolling toward Fort Marion

GERONIMO ALONE

had been captured, and all the rest of his band were still at large. The fact is, Geronimo is only one of seven chiefs who have been off the reservation with their families and followers. He is not even a No. 3 in chief, much more a war-chief, Nachita being the hereditary high muck-a-muck of the Chiricahuas. Nachita is an indecisive fellow, fonder of fishing and hunting than of war, addicted to squaws, and rather easily led by Geronimo, who is a talker from Jawville. Geronimo has not been the boldest in fight, the most scheming nor the bloodiest raider in the outfit at any time till now, when he has only the dude Nachita. Chihuahua is smarter, more of a war-chief than either, but is thirsty and more daring. Their bands have done more raiding and more mischief than Geronimo's. The only claim Geronimo has to his unearned preeminence is a newspaper correspondent's that he is one of the originators of the outbreak. He is

NO GREATER AND NO WORSE

than seventy-five of his co-renegades.

When they arrived, with Lieut. Faison, the broncos (as the hostile Chiricahuas are termed, in contradistinction from the scouts), camped about three-quarters of a mile from the fort, behind a hill. They chose the bed of a dry arroyo, and settled down contentedly amid the tufts of bear-grass and cactus. Firewood and rations were hauled down to them, and they sulked both to the utmost. The women and children captured by Capt. Davis and Capt. Crawford, seventy months ago, and since held prisoners at this post, were let out, and rejoined their relatives and friends, with demonstrative welcomes. All but one, that is. There was one good-looking girl, who wept bitterly at the prospect of being released from the guard-house, and appealed to Gen. Crook to let her stay—a request which he granted. It seems that her husband was killed in one of the raids, last year; and she foresaw that if she rejoined the band, in which she had no relatives, she would be kicked from pillar to post, and have to work like a reporter, to be tolerated at all. The others, however, got along as sweetly as flies on a molasses barrel. They didn't do much the first day, except to whoop up their fires and inter their rations. Next day, however, they began to change the aspect of things.

THE PATIENT SQUAWS

had knotted back the rambling bear-grass with strings of its own tough fiber, grubbed out the immediate cactus, dragged in branches of scrub oak and mesquite, and made semi-circular wind-breaks four to five yards from point to point. Against these were laid the blankets, the solid canvas and other "furniture." Then here and there you would see a squaw bracing up some tall stalks of the century plant and lashing them together at the top, while her sister in drudgery was stitching together big lengths of unbleached muslin. A couple of days of this hard work—to which the bucks lent their moral support by industriously gambling at koon-kan for cartridges, money or ponies, or promenading along the fort—the camp was complete and a works nd of art. The Apache Weekly Scalping Knife would doubtless have filled some columns with a description of this "growing young Chiricahua city," with able diagrams of "J. Chihuahua, Esquire's" palatial residence, which flapped dignifiedly in the breeze", (some horse-blankets stretched from the top of a little scrub-oak); and of "the charming suburban home just completed by our esteemed fellow citizen, Judge Nanay" (a wind-break of brush roofed with blankets, about three feet from the ground); likewise "Dr. Kut-le's elegant new villa," (a few rods of muslin, tented over a peak of sloe-stocks); besides "the beautiful Miss Na-dis-ough's exquisite cottage, flanked with rare tropical growths," (which the same it was a recess in the steep bank, with some sheeting stretched across the front from bush to bush; the skyward selvage soaring aloft on the point of a pole, the lower anchored down with rocks, and a row of mescal-cactus for the rear wall); and so on for quantity. It was

AN INTERESTING BURG,

and no mistake. Against every bush leaned a gun—maybe half a dozen guns. Every male Indian over three feet high wore one, two or three cartridge belts, filled with the overgrown 45-70 cartridges of Uncle Sam's rifles; a butcher-knife of Sheffield make, in a sheath which swallowed nearly all the handle, as well as all the blade; a curious leather sheath in which is transported the indispensable awl for mending the moccasins; numerous bracelets and necklaces of big, gay beads, and generally a small looking-glass and materials for improving the complexion according to Apache ideas. The bronco bucks were very shabbily dressed, as should be expected after the enormous hardships they have endured and the incredible distances they have made in the last ten months. Their average dress was a dirty print shirt, whose appendices

TOYED IDLY WITH THE BREEZE,

and they had to do a good deal of toying, for the breeze here for the last week has been one to sweep all the sand in Arizona over into New Mexico. Somewhere under the tailcoss of the shirt, begins a pair of stout linen drawers, designed for white, but of a present color which is a monument to the vanity of earthly hopes. These draw closely around the ankles, so as to go inside the extremely tight-fitting moccasins. As the Apache perambulates in a cactus country, he cuts his moccasin accordingly. The toe, instead of coming to a flat point like a piece of pie, is strongly pug-nosed. Not only is the point turned up, but it has a little circular shield at the end, perpendicular to the ground, and reaching two inches above it. This disc is as big around as a quarter, and serves as a high protective tariff against the importation of foreign thorns. The moccasin is not of shoe caliber, like those of the Navajoes, Pueblos, and other Northern tribes, but has a leg about thirty inches long. The top of this is turned over, so that the moccasin reaches to within three or four inches of the knee-pan. The assassinating cactus, which goes through ordinary shoe leather as 'twere a pleasure jaunt, is stumped by this elastic buckskin. But the linen unmentionables do not suffice for the modest buck. Every one of them has an external and

ORNAMENTAL STRING,

whose extremities form small aprons in front and rear. In fact this is a *sine qua non*. Those who chafe at the restraint of the under-pants don't have to wear 'em; but without the G-string no one can hope to be admitted to polite Apache society. A good many robust bronchos—and scouts, too, for that matter—have been parading about the camp and post in bare-kneed pantalessness. The head-dress most in vogue is a big bandanna rolled to a band of two inches, and tied about the head to keep the long, black hair from eye-tickling. In the evening, or when riding in the cold, a blanket or patchwork quilt is added to to this costume. Chihuahua and a few others have once-gandy Mexican serapes. The women wear calico dresses of uncertain denomination, but all modest. The Mother Hubbard seems to prevail only among the old women. The girls don't wear it—so Baldwin and his blushing Colonites could come out here without any danger of being shocked. The moccasin is similar to the men's. The female children are women on a small scale, so far as dress goes; but the boys, from little to big, run around in the airy costume of Eve and G-string. Little fellows of seven or eight carry their cartridge-belts and big knives; and one eleven-year-old had, when captured, a gun and a six-shooter. Master Apache gets in his apprenticeship at piracy very early, you see.

All of them are great hands for ornaments, and give particular heed to jewelry gish about it. All the scouts and most of the broncos had some silver trimmings; but when silver ran short, other metals would do. The silver goes in a huge style on their hats, belts and pockets. All their metal bracelets were brass, rather cleverly worked, and so were most of their rings. They go on the principle that

A FEAST IS GOOD AS ENORUM,

and "while they're gittin', they git a plenty." One coffee-cooler whom I noticed packing, had 15 rings on his left hand, 11 on his right, and a dozen bracelets of beads and brass on each wrist. He was probably afraid that if there were but one or two, they might get lost or stolen. A good many of his girls supplemented their brass bracelets with tin ones made from old cans.

In looks, these people are not particular fancy scarecrows. In fact they are good-looking Indians. Chihuahua has a pleasant face as one would care to meet—strikingly good natured, and very intelligent. One or two have bad faces—but I can pick you out worse on the streets of Los Angeles, any day. There were five or six rather comely girls in the outfit. Old Nanay, a chunky, fat, superannuated chief, might readily be taken, so far as face goes, for a wealthy Mexican rancher; and he is facile with a somewhat corrupted Spanish.

Wildest in the rough sports of the broncho boys was one figure which you would single out at a glance. His sandy hair cropping out under a dirty cotton rag; his light skin, pretty liberally exposed and everywhere a mass of miscegenated dirt and freckles, showed that he was no Chiricahua. He was

THEIR LITTLE WHITE CAPTIVE.

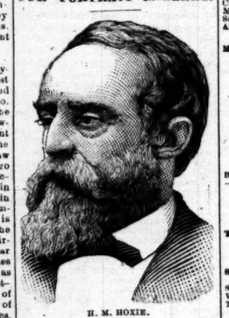
Santiago McKinn. This poor child, scaly with dirt, wild as a coyote, made my eyes a bit damp. His is a pathetic fiction from the scouts. Geronimo's three-quarters of a mile from the fort, behind a hill. They chose the bed of a dry arroyo, and settled down contentedly amid the tufts of bear-grass and cactus. Firewood and rations were hauled down to them, and they sulked both to the utmost. The women and children captured by Capt. Davis and Capt. Crawford, seventy months ago, and since held prisoners at this post, were let out, and rejoined their relatives and friends, with demonstrative welcomes. All but one, that is. There was one good-looking girl, who wept bitterly at the prospect of being released from the guard-house, and appealed to Gen. Crook to let her stay—a request which he granted. It seems that her husband was killed in one of the raids, last year; and she foresaw that if she rejoined the band, in which she had no relatives, she would be kicked from pillar to post, and have to work like a reporter, to be tolerated at all. The others, however, got along as sweetly as flies on a molasses barrel. They didn't do much the first day, except to whoop up their fires and inter their rations. Next day, however, they began to change the aspect of things.

THE PATIENT SQUAWS

had knotted back the rambling bear-grass with strings of its own tough fiber, grubbed out the immediate cactus, dragged in branches of scrub oak and mesquite, and made semi-circular wind-breaks four to five yards from point to point. Against these were laid the blankets, the solid canvas and other "furniture." Then here and there you would see a squaw bracing up some tall stalks of the century plant and lashing them together at the top, while her sister in drudgery was stitching together big lengths of unbleached muslin. A couple of days of this hard work—to which the bucks lent their moral support by industriously gambling at koon-kan for cartridges, money or ponies, or promenading along the fort—the camp was complete and a works nd of art. The Apache Weekly Scalping Knife would doubtless have filled some columns with a description of this "growing young Chiricahua city," with able diagrams of "J. Chihuahua, Esquire's" palatial residence, which flapped dignifiedly in the breeze", (some horse-blankets stretched from the top of a little scrub-oak); and of "the charming suburban home just completed by our esteemed fellow citizen, Judge Nanay" (a wind-break of brush roofed with blankets, about three feet from the ground); likewise "Dr. Kut-le's elegant new villa," (a few rods of muslin, tented over a peak of sloe-stocks); besides "the beautiful Miss Na-dis-ough's exquisite cottage, flanked with rare tropical growths," (which the same it was a recess in the steep bank, with some sheeting stretched across the front from bush to bush; the skyward selvage soaring aloft on the point of a pole, the lower anchored down with rocks, and a row of mescal-cactus for the rear wall); and so on for quantity. It was

AN INTERESTING BURG,

and no mistake. Against every bush leaned a gun—maybe half a dozen guns. Every male Indian over three



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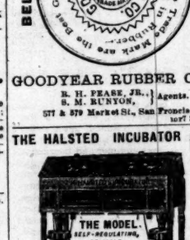

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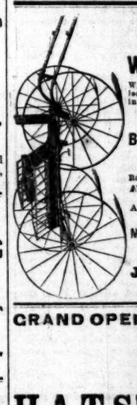

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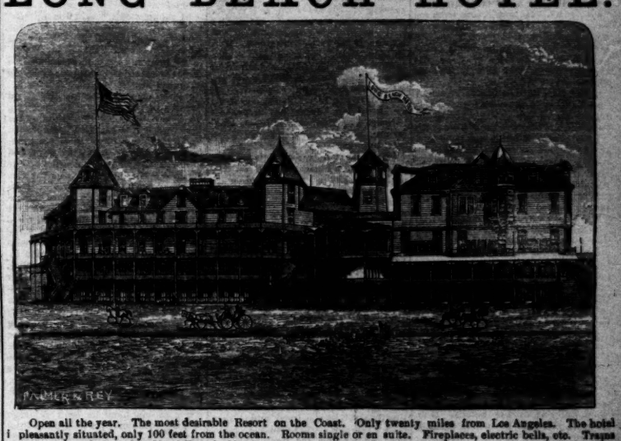

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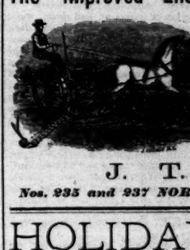

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CHAPTER VI—(*Continued.*)

REST AT LAST.

"Yer hain't so 'greeable that it's a pleasur to see yer enny way," said Brooks sullenly.

"You know why I ain't," she said pitifully. "Ever since I was a girl of 16 you've kept me this way; you got my love; you knowed I couldn't outlive it. Wimmin of my nature never does. I could have married rich men out here, but for you; others thinks I'm han'some and tells me so, but I'd ruther one kind word from you than all their fine talk. What if you are poor, Tom? I could help you; I'd work my fingers to the bone for you."

"That's silly talk," he said rudely; "you know I like yer, that I'll marry yer when I'm rich. It tain't so fur off as you think," he finished with a knowing leer.

"I try to believe you," she said humbly. "Now set down and tell me about the lynching, everything, and who was the leader in it."

So he told her the horrible story, and did not note when he told his share that her very lips grew pale and she staggered to a chair.

"And the child, what of that? Where is it?" she said when he finished.

"Don't know," muttered Brooks uneasily, turning his eyes away from meeting her searching gaze.

"You are lying," she cried fiercely, "the child is alive; you've hid it somewhere."

"Curtis knows where it is," he said shortly.

"Fool!" cried Rose, "couldn't you have stolen the child and hid it and and had him in your power? Would ever he did you'd had that to keep him in check. You've always told me that you had no love for him and that you hated his insolent ways, yet you play into his hand every time."

Brooks sprang to his feet with a curse at his folly and walked to the window. Rose followed him.

"Tell me where the child is!" she pleaded, clinging to his arm. "I'll never tell. I must know. I will know. You see how much wiser I am than you. Curtis could never make a fool of me. Tom, tell me."

She was crying bitterly now. He pushed her away and seized his hat.

"I don't know, I tell yer," he said savagely.

She looked the doorway a moment. "I know you lie," she said calmly. "You do know where the child is, and it is alive. I warn you, if it dies you shall be exposed. I will tell the truth, and Johnson's heirs shall have the land you and Curtis have stolen. Treat me as a friend, Tom, and I am a friend; treat me as an enemy, and I am a bitter one."

"You're a mad fool!" said the man roughly, pushing by her and hurrying away.

"I might have told him," she muttered, following a few moments after, "but I can't. He would turn from me with loathing, he would hate and shun me. How, how false I am to love him, and how little he cares; but I can't, I won't give up the hope that he will change, that he will love me as he used to."

After Mrs. Curtis's funeral the next day MacDonald drove back to his residence above the grocery store and halted at the stairs. They were rickety and steep, and this was good and ample reason why he should not mount them, so he called Julia in stentorian tones. After some delay a window was pushed up and the unclassic features of Mrs. Mullen appeared framed in the sash.

"What d'ye want?" she cried shrilly.

"Circumstances makes it a dooty you owes to society, Juliet, to attire your beauteous self in decent mourning garments and get on this mourning coach with me and ride out to the cemetery, where I'm going to perform a father's dooty."

"Dooty be durned," said Julia, and she slammed down the window.

"Curt and uncourteous," said Mac., chirruping to his sorry steed. "I'll go alone."

"And no man saw that funeral,
And no man knew it o'er."

He drove up to Symes's shop and went in. Symes was away, but Mary's body was laid on the boards. Mac. lifted it, laid it in the coffin, smoothing the thin, fair hair and arranging the old calico frock. Then he nailed down the boards and carried the box out to the wagon. No one offered to help him, though a few of the men who had been vociferous in their condemnation of the Johnsons the day before were loitering along the street.

"I don't know," said Mac, gathering up the reins again, "whether Mary had services or not; I guess I don't make much difference, and it's getting late, and that graveyard is all of four miles."

He drove off, moralizing as he went, and poor little Mary, with neither preacher nor prayers, mourners nor tears, was hurried to the graveyard where, thank God, her weary body found rest at last.

Mac had dug her a grave close beside the neat iron fence that inclosed the grave of the young man killed by Dwight Wallace, and he placed the rude box so that it lay at the feet of the buried man. He smoothed the earth over the mound, and leaning one foot upon it, lighted his pipe.

"They'll be company for one another, and both murdered," he said, with some solemnity. Then he looked out on the picture before him.

For a mile or two an undulating plain lay before the graveyard—brown and gray, covered with dead buffalo grass and cactus; further on were a few scattered houses, then a cluster of houses, and a church, while below this the river ran rippling and frothing over the breaking ice. A line of trees fringed either bank, and up the stream was the broad sandy bed of Cherry Creek, where a thin stream of water oozed through the sand, appearing and vanishing till it joined the river. Beyond the flatte were hills and here a few houses; far beyond them lay rolling plains away to the low foothills; then bleak and bare, with snowy crests and scattered snow lying in white ridges on the scarred and seamed surfaces veiled now in bluish vapor, were the Rocky Mountains. The eternal walls of God half inclose the city, which now, radiant with wealth of architecture, and populous and prosperous, lies in that beautiful valley. Pike's Peak, Gray's and Long's, with hoary heads, cloud-kissed, caught the last glow of the setting sun, hat, red and awful, flamed the clouds behind the mountains with the glow of a world on fire.

Awed by the splendor of those silent walls, the wretched sot—a man, degraded and degrading—MacDonald made his way homeward, never dreaming that his little martyred child lay with pitiful, scarred, folded hands over her suffering breast in that rough coffin at the feet of her brother—for they had one father—lay at his feet as humbly and shrinkingly as she would have crept had she met the brave, young soldier in her pathetic, loveless life.

CHAPTER VII.

"PARADISE ON EARTH."

Mrs. Matthew Cowan was a respectable Irish lady of religious inclinations. She dwelt in an Ohio town not far from Rocky Creek, where the Wallace family had lived for so many years. There had been a Mr. Cowan of convivial habits, but reckless expenditure; he died, however, of a fall from a window in an intoxicated moment, and rumor was quick to say that Mrs. Cowan added to the momentum of his fall by a gentle wifely push. Fortunately for the worthy widow, he fell before a legacy came to her. The death of a rich aunt in England left her with some $20,000, besides clearing the farm of the numerous mortgages with which her husband had burdened it. Indeed, for the past few years almost the only harvest raised on the Cowan farm had been loans. Freed from husbandly annoyance, Mrs. Cowan took on an air of subdued cheerful melancholy and intense piety. She was foremost in all religious meetings, and was regularly converted at each revival, occupying a front seat with those who wished to be prayed for. She was a short, thin little woman, with little black eyes, little weazened neck, scanty black hair, and a much wr nkl d face. She wore black alpacas of a sedate aspect, and in the fourth year of her widowhood descended to the vanity of a bright green bow at her collar.

About this time a cadaverous-looking man, with large pale eyes, suburn side-whiskers and hair, came to the town—Reedville—and established a home, or a "Paradise on Earth," he called it, and this name was painted on a board nailed on the picket-fence that enclosed the land and weather-worn house he had built. A middle-aged looking woman—his wife—attended to the material wants of the household, while he attended to the spiritual. There being no poor-house in the vicinity, the town officials boarded their paupers in this "Paradise."

The Rev. Mr. Green became highly popular in the community, but all the ladies, at least, acknowledged that his wife was queer. Finally, poor, tired Mrs. Green died, and then stories came out of abuse and neglect. Mr. Green endeavored to save expense by carrying on the "Paradise" with pauper labor. He never troubled the parish for burial permits, but he did for coffins; and some charitable visitors, coming one day, found vermin-covered creatures tied in the garret, without food or clothing, little children famished for food, and little starved, dead babies in rude boxes ready for burial—while some half-witted women told a horrible story of crime and abuse.

The result was that Mr. Jonas Green was driven out of "Paradise," which name, by the way—the sign board still on the rickety fence—clung to the place for years as an ironical reproach.

Mrs. Cowan boldly took the Rev. Jonas's part, and to further prove her belief in his goodness, married him one day, and a few weeks later the worthy pair left for Denver in an emigrant train then setting out. In Denver they established a second "Paradise," in which, by the payment of $20, children were taken and cared for and no questions asked. Articles of adoption had to be given, though, with each child, and all claims on it relinquished.

Mr. and Mrs. Green's great idea and principle was to cure by faith; alas, it may be added, to nourish and clothe by faith, for the sufferers in this paradise seldom had anything but faith.

"We trusts and prays," the Rev. Green would explain, with an inward sucking of his lower lip, as if it were a most toothsome morsel. "If a child is ill, we pray; we have faith it will recover, if it is so ordained. If a child is hungry, we teach it to have faith it will be fed, and our dear brothers and sisters in this far western settlement has been responsive to our calls upon them; so we has been satisfied our faith has not been throwed away, nor east as pearls afore swine. We will be cared for as 'Lijah was, by ravens."

The home had been established four years, when a horseman rode up one night, knocked at the rude door of the long, rambling adobe house that was "Paradise," and presented, at the same time, a twenty-dollar bill and a 4-year-old girl. Of course, the child was accepted. She said her name was Jane, and she wanted Mary. She was called Jane, accepted for Mary and everything—anything and lacking faith. The poor children early learned in the Home that it did not need much faith as far as beatings were concerned; they were an unfailing blessing.

Jane lived through the abuse and privations of the Home. She was as tough as a pine knot, wiry and hardy and careless of blows or scoldings. She was a silent child, never crying, no matter what was done to her. She would look at her tormentors with her big, solemn eyes, and shut her red lips firmly. So she lived, and others died. She saw little babes die, gasping and wailing for food; she saw miserable wrecks, their friends had placed there for care and shelter, go mad in baffled rage, shrieking with want and disease; she saw little children like herself beaten to insensibility, starved until they cried for bread. Jane felt for all as she grew older, but the hardships of her babyhood made her able to bear. There was one reason, though, that she could endure better—she stole! In the dead of night she crept from her bed and took the key of the pantry from the nail in the Rev. Jonas's own bedroom, and gathered enough to last her for days. She hid it away, and tasted in secret, like a young cannibal. She was preternaturally sharp.

"If I tell the rest of 'em or give 'em enny, they'l blow on me," she said to herself, and kept her secret.

The home was some distance from the town and few ever came out to it, so the Rev. Jonas was not troubled with enquirers. He and his wife got along well, and were mutually satisfied with each other; both felt a subdued ecstacy in maltreating the helpless beings by whom they were surrounded.

"I never see the beat how things goes outen that pantry," snarled Mrs. Green one afternoon, flouncing into the kitchen from the same pantry, with a rolling-board covered with raw doughnuts in her hand. A poor old shrivelled man was frying doughnuts at the fire. (God help him! he sold his farm in the East, gave his son and his son's wife the money, went to the new country with them, and this was the return.) "How many doughnuts is there in that kittle?" (These doughnuts were for the Greens' table.)

"There's six," quavered the old man—"all you give me to fry?"

"I give you seven," cried the hag, furiously; "seven! There's six. You eat one! I'll call the Riverend—stealin' in this house, you miserable old thief!"

"'Fore heaven, marm," quaked the old man, holding his trembling hands before his face, "I never done it. I never eat one. Hungry as I be, I never stole yit."

"You lie," she shrieked—"Jonas, Jonas!"

Then a child, who had been standing on a box washing dishes with slimy, greasy water and an old stocking foot, wiped the water off with her arms, and jumped down from the box.

"He never eated it, Mis' Green, the child said boldly; "I done it."

This was not true; the old man, driven by gnawing hunger, had devoured the doughnut, and the child, looking back, saw him smacking his lips over the last bite. She liked him and she pitied him. It seemed perfectly just to her that he should steal it; she was not above that sort of thing herself. She took the blame on her shoulders; the Greens could not hurt her as much as they could that poor old man—that trembling old creature whose tears ran down his cheeks after her avowal!

"You did! You, Jane! You imp of Satan!" yelled Mrs Green, running to the pantry door and bringing out a rawhide, the cruelest of all weapons. Jane knew the whip, and had felt it too often to like it. Frequently, in her predatory excursions to the pantry, she had decided to make away with it, but she was always at a loss for an expedient. Jane retreated to the box, and ran one dirty arm into the dishwater.

"Come here, or I'll skin yer alive!" said Mrs. Green, flourishing the whip.

"I won't," said Jane stoutly. "Yer can't kill me; yer ain't goin' ter let me lay on that old table in the shed. I ain't no baby baby, nor scared yung'un; yer can't bury me in the yard. Them says," with a wave of her disengaged hand in the direction of the room where the poor inmates were locked up—"that I's a imp of satan, so can't be hurt. I hain't 'feered of ye. I'm not hungry; they is; 'n I'm weller 'n them, too."

"Oh, you are!" said Mrs. Green, with intense scorn—"you are! We'll see!" She advanced toward the child with the whip, but Jane reached out from the dishwater a long, sharp carving knife, and flourished it

"Come nigher, an' I'll jab ye!" she said decisively, while Mrs. Green, much alarmed, fled for Jonas, and the old man fell back against the wall overcome with his delight. Just at that exciting moment the Rev. Jonas came bustling along the narrow entry that ran the whole length of the house.

"What's all this noise?" he said testily. Mrs. Green explained, but to her surprise he punched her arm with viciousness and force.

"Never mind; never mind, I say," he muttered in a low voice. "Company, fool, company!"

At this magical word Mrs. Green's violence abated; a grim smile adorned her features, and she began to smooth down her rolled-up sleeves.

"Lady in the parlor," said Jonas, unctuously; "come in kerriage, waitin' to the door."

"What's she want?" said Mrs. Green in a stage whisper: "not to see the home? Them critturs ain't fixed up—dirty as rot, and old Jim tied up in the corner, and Lord knows how them babies is; I hain't seen 'em sence mornin'. I'm them 'ere ijits takin' keer of 'em will be horrid sights now."

"She don't wanter see the home," said Jonas, reassuringly; "she wants to see a young one brought here by a lady-friend man four year ago. It's that Jane."

Jane at a safe distance was watching them with big, curious eyes.

"Can't yer paim one of 'tothers on her, an' fool her? We may make suthin' out," said the Mistress of Paradise on Earth, with cupidity on every feature.

"I thought on't," said Jonas; "but its no use. She knows the age of the brat to a minit—used to know the parents."

"G' long and git yer sprin on," said Mrs. Green to the culprit she would willingly have strangled.

"Then come to the parlor," said Jonas with an unholy leer, shaking his boney fist at her in token of what she might get if she were not discreet.

Jane put on a clean gingham pinafore, used only on company days, and followed the unholy couple. The parlor was distinguished from the rest of the rooms (except Jonas' private apartment) by having a board floor—the rest had only earth. There were four or five chairs of unpainted wood in the parlor, a table and a large Bible on a box which was covered with a green shawl, the property of a female inmate who died in fits, owing, the rest thought, to having cold water thrown on her when she was refractory, and being kept tied up, wet and shivering, for four days. In the parlor was a fire-place, and hanging over this a life-like portrait of the Reverend Jonas. "Done in oil," his wife always explained. "'n him to the very life." The Rev. Jonas was here represented with a benevolent smile, his hair brushed straight up from his forehead, standing in a kind of halo, while in his hand he held a large volume, presumably a holy book from the absorbed expression of his turned-up eyes.

In the room, standing by the window, looking idly out on the barren yard that stretched to an adobe wall some five feet high, beyond which was the road where Sam was driving the fine, black horses up and down, was a large, tall woman with handsome dark eyes and red cheeks. She was dressed in a rich silk with fine cuffs and collar and bonnet, and her hands were covered with kid gloves that ended in gold bracelets. She appeared something wonderful and beautiful to the child. Rose McCord recognized Jane at a glance. A look of triumph passed over her face; then she bit her lip angrily. Why had she not thought of this place before in all the years she had been trying to find the child?

"Miss Wallace sent down a basket of wine and some jellies for your sick," she said curtly to the obsequious Jonas and his wife; "also this $10-bill. Please get the things from the carriage."

There was no alternative but for them to leave her alone with the child. She looked at Jane with a strange glance, half loathing, half hate. Jane looked back at her in undisguised deligut, and fixed her eyes on the bracelets. She wondered what they were. She would have liked to put one on her arm, just to see how it would look.

"What's your name?" said Rose, haughtily.

"Jane."

"Jane what?"

"Dunno," said Jane, indifferently, her mind taken up with the bracelets.

"Do they beat you here?"

"Lots," said Jane, frankly; "sometimes with the broom, mostwise with a whip, sometimes wot comes handiest. I git over it, though; can't hurt me much. I'm a imp of Satan."

"Can you read?" asked Rose, her eyes glowing with a strange, malicious light.

"Wot's read?" said Jane.

Still that ugly light in Rose McCord's eyes. Was she pleased with the ignorance of the poor little orphan—glad that this sad, degraded childhood was like, though far worse than, her own?

"Do you work hard?" said Rose, quickly, for the Greens were hurrying in with the boxes of wine and jelly.

"Washes dishes; water's mostly cold; has to go way to the creek for it. Scrubs this 'ere floor, too," said Jane, with some pride, "but it's allfired spidery; gets into my hands. Cooks some, 'n washes, though the critters' clothes ain't washed of'n, 'cept their company ones."

Before Rose could be further informed, Jonas and his wife entered in a breathless state.

"I am going now," said Rose, loftily. "This is the child I know of. You will treat her well, no matter what she does; never dare to strike her. You have heard of the Johnsons, who were hung near here four years ago—a little excitement and an exposure of your Home would give you as bad a fate. I have a fair idea how this place is managed, but it is none of my affair. See that this child is free from your abuse."

"You talk purty big for Miss Wallace's hired girl, in yer silks and satins, which, I've no doubts, the miss us's old 'uns," said Mrs. Green, with some spite.

"Let the idler go, Lillian!" said the Rev. Jonas, meekly. "The painted Jezebil is become food for dogs!"

"You see fit to insult me," said Rose, coolly, though her eyes were flaming. "The negro lied to you. I am Miss Wallace's companion and confidant. Bah, I lower myself talking to you! Remember this, however, I shall come here to look after that child, and I will know how she is, and whether you have disobeyed me or not. I warn you, I mean what I say when I tell you I will have you served as the Johnsons were."

With that, Rose swept out of the house, and glowered fiercely at Sam as she got in the carriage; for between the two was a deadly feud of many years' standing.

As they drove through the town, they noticed knots of men gathered together at corners in the street, and women lingering listening, too.

"What's de row now?" asked Sam of a crony, as he drove on. Rose leaned forward and listened, eagarly.

"Big find," said the man addressed, coming up to the carriage. "Curtis and Brooks has struck it rich in Perpetation Gulch. They've found a pocket of silver nigh where Johnson's old cabin stood. They've took out $50,000 in a half day. There's millions more where it come from!"

"Golly! they're lucky," said Sam, whipping up his horses.

Rose McCord heard, and fell back against the cushions with a bitter moan.

"God!" she muttered; "it might be mine. It is mine—if I dared—if I could—but I am tied hand and foot—hand and foot; and he will get it all! What shall I do? Must I let it go on? He takes the wealth there that is mine! Oh, if he knew, as he would then, he would hate me, loathe me, turn from me with scorn. He would not take my money, he would not love me ever in the future; anything but his loathing!"

All her pride, her self-command were gone. She clenched her hands in an agony of grief, weeping wild, hot tears that gave her no relief, but maddened her the more, while the unwitting passers-by bowed and re-echoed through her whirling brain, to meet no answer, no comfort, no hope!

"What shall I do? What shall I do?"

CHAPTER VIII.

A HIDDEN POCKET.

Early in the morning of the 28th of August, 1872, two men were seen descending a barren hill covered by the blackened stumps of pine trees. Below them was a valley where a sandy creek bed lay blistering in the sun. A few yards from it on the hillside was the door of a tunnel that went into the hill. It was easy to recognize Desperation Gulch and Johnson's claim. There was not a sound here this still, hot morning but the crackling of the twigs and the steps that broke them. The men came steadily on, one carrying a pick, the other a shovel. They stopped at the end of the mine and looked down the valley.

"It's going to be hot to-day," said one, more to break the silence than because he cared whether it was or not.

"It won't matter to us in the tomb there, said the other, sullenly.

"You're gloomy, Brooks." Men can't be rich in a day," said the first speaker; but he looked at Brooks half pitifully. His gaunt face, his long, unkempt hair and beard, his haggard eyes and ragged clothes told too well the story of want and failure.

"Yer ain't none too cheerful yourself, Curtis," muttered Brooks, working away at the lock on the door. They were grown gray and thin—aged ten year in four, if that's any comfort to yer."

"I don't care," Curtis answered, carelessly, "I'm a young man yet, and fortune would come my way soon. One thing's lucky, though; but for our miserable hut, Perry's Grant would be a stack of ruined houses, with empty rooms and staring windows, like skulls. The whole region around is deserted; no one will dispute our wealth with us."

Brooks laughed harshly, and swung open the door.

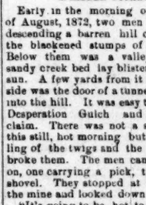
"Dispute our claim to earth and rocks and a hole that's cost us four years' labor. What would they want it for but a grave?"

"There's something there besides earth," said Curtis, an almost prophetic light on his face. "There's silver, Brooks, and we've found it, they are there's silver. We must find it—we will find it. Let's go to work; we waste daylight."

He seized a lamp and went into the dark hole.

"Nothin' but work and disappointment!" said Brooks, gloomily, following, "but I'll stick to it as long's he will It would be my luck to go and him strike it, and me lose four years' work!"

An hour after they had gone into the mine two other people came down the mountain. A thin, pale boy of 12, carrying a tin pail, and a pretty blonde woman with a shovel over her shoulder. She wore a costume that was hardly suitable to her sex, but rather seemed as if she had appropriated Curtis' clothing. However, the rough blue flannel shirt was vastly becoming, and, though thin and pale, it was easy to recognize in her Sal McGinnis, "the best jig dancer west of the Missouri."



Her pretty hands grasped the shovel in a determined way; she had the same anxious look as the two men who were now digging in the earth like rats.

"I wish we could stay here 'n rest, Sal," said the boy wistfully; "it's so hot, 'n I'm so tired."

"But we can't dear," said Sal kindly; "it's work or bust. Set the pail in the shade; they'll make our cooks if the water gits warm, an' none nigher than a mile. Come on."

She seized the child's unwilling hand, and ran into the mine, where she soon went to work like the rest. She and Willy loaded the little cart with earth, Brooks hauled it out, while Curtis worked at the walls of the cave they had made, with quick, nervous strokes of his pick. They worked in silence for hours. All of a sudden Curtis called out sharply:

"Look out!"

All sprang back to the door, while, with a thundering crash, a great mass of earth and rock fell from the side of the cave to the floor.

"Light the torches, Brooks!" cried Curtis, in a hoarse, unnatural voice. Then he seized a torch and rushed over the heap of earth like a maniac.

"He ain't crazy, is he?" said Sal, dropping her shovel.

"What is it, papa?" cried Willy. "What is in that black hole?"

"Black hole!" yelled Curtis, transfigured with exulted joy, his features working, his eyes full of tears, his mouth foaming. "Black hole? It's there! there! there! Ha, ha, ha! We beat them—we hung on—we're rich! rich! Oh, I shall go mad! Speak, some of you, that I'll know I'm not dreaming!"

"Yer'e awake, Henry," said Sal, soothingly; "but I don't see nuthin' there only a heap of black, sandy stuff."

Brooks fo lowed her up to the pile of earth, while Willy's pale little face peered under her arm that held the torch above her head.

"That sand, that black sand's it, it, it!" yelled Curtis, delving up handfulls of the sand, and kissing and clenching it, and gathering more when it fell, "we've found a pocket—that's silver, fools—see it shine; iron's turned it, but it's all silver. There's thousands of tons of it, and there's thousands of dollars to the ton!"

They all knelt down and gathered the dark stuff, as black as soot, in their hands, here and there a few bright grains shone through the black—the silver that had not been turned by the baser mineral.

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HOUSE AND HOME.

A Bright Spot in the Child's Memory.

USE FOR OLD COATS AND STOCKINGS.

How to Keep Drawers and Wardrobes Free From Moths—Quicktime as a Sweetener.

Careful provision should be made for the happiness of the children of the household. Make home the most charming place in the world for them. If you have bright and sunny rooms do not shut them out from them because they are your best rooms. The best that we have should not be kept exclusively for strangers. As a pleasant writer has well said, "Let us take the airiest, choicest and sunniest room in the house for our living room—the workshop where brain and body are built up and renewed; and there let us have a bay window, no matter how plain in structure, through which the good twin angels—sunlight and pure air—can freely enter. The window shall be the poem of the house. It shall give freedom and scope to the sunsets, the tender green and changing tints of spring, the glow of summer, the pomp of autumn, the storm and sunshine, glimmer and gloom—all these we can enjoy as we sit in our sheltered room, as the changing years roll on. Dark rooms bring depression of spirits, imparting a sense of confinement, of isolation, of powerlessness, which is chilling to energy and vigor; but in light is good cheer. Even with a gloomy house, where walls and furniture are dingy brown, you have but to take down the dingy curtains, open wide the windows, hang brackets on either side, set flower pots on the brackets, and ivy in the pots, and let the warm air stream freely in."

Then, in addition, let the little ones, as well as those of larger growth, have a variety of good books; picture books with simple text for the smaller children, books of travel, of history, of well written stories and poems for the older ones. Let them have a supply of games for the evening. Inventive genius has exerted itself widely in this direction, and an almost unlimited array is offered, the material for which may be purchased at reasonable prices. Alike, even yet, the old fashioned chess and checker boards, and the simple game of tag and geese, the paraphernalia for which was often costing more than a smooth board with its black and white squares, and red and yellow kernels of corn.

I remember well the delightful evenings passed at home in my girlhood playing this simple game with my brother. Checkers was next in our affections, after that the game of "authors," and then the delights of the magic lantern, where cities were thrown upon the wall, and we ran, with caravans across the Great Desert, and looked on green oases and Oriental mosques and temples. These aroused an interest in our young minds for history and the geography of those regions, and led to much more earnest research than we should at that time have given to those countries. I remember to day the wonder with which I was filled when I first watched, by the aid of a large magic lantern, the steady march of the camels across the desert of sand, and saw the strange costumes of Turk and Arab, as thrown upon the canvas. Every book that had anything to say of them I studied with interest, and that study led to wider research and broader knowledge.

These evenings at home come to me now like a blessed memory, for they were the era of thought-quickening, and the magic lantern made me an earnest student of geography and of history. The value of little things we cannot estimate until life is ended, nor even then, for time holds but the first chapter in our being's history.

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"See my pile of old coats, stockings, pants, dresses, etc," said a lady to a friend the other day. "What shall I do with them? I am tempted to cremate the last rag," she said, with a smile, as she held up a pair of cast-off pantaloons of her husband's; "they clutter up my closets and occupy my spare trunk-room; they accumulate so rapidly, you know."

"Well," responded her friend, "I should consider these old garments a real treasure trove if they were mine. I must tell you how to make rag mats. I have one now nearly completed which I think quite pretty. I cut my rags, all sorts, stocking legs best of all, in strips finer than for carpet. Sew them together, wind in balls and proceed. Take very a coarse crochet hook. If mat is to be oblong, make chain accordingly. If round, two stitches will do, and go round and round in single crochet; that is, draw rag through with hook, put rag over hook and draw through the two stitches. Arrange colors to fancy. The center of mine is bright red, quite a large space, and afterward bill and bill. Bright, contrasting colors, light and dark, have a very pleasing effect, which can be appreciated by being seen."

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Drawers or wardrobes where woolens are kept should be occasionally emptied and left open in the fresh air and sunshine. This and taking care never to put away clothes damp, is generally a sure preventive of moths. In addition, however, it may do good to sprinkle either a little camphor, lavender, rue, laurel, pepper, or cedar-wood, through band-box, bundles and baskets. A little newly-made charcoal placed among clothes will prevent the unpleasant smell they often acquire when laid by.

A great deal of attention should be given to the proper airing of the materes every morning, and at least once a week a stiff brush should remove the dust which will accumulate, even in the best ordered house, around and under the tufts of cotton, or the bits of leather, or whatever is used to tack the mattress with. Attention should also be directed to the edge of the mattress, where the braid is sewed on, for dust sifts under that. Where the bed-room is also the dressing-room, dust cannot be avoided, but it may be at least changed, and it need not be allowed to accumulate.

It is said that by sprinkling salt where there are broken victuals, dirty plates and other things which attract flies, we can keep these pests away. It fills the air with saline particles and we have no trouble at all.

If a closet or cupboard is damp and likely to cause mildew, place in it a saucer of quicklime, which should be removed once a fortnight. This will absorb the dampness and sweeten and purify the place.

For crystallizing grasses or cut flowers you need a solution of alum dissolved in a pan of boiling water, as much alum as the water will take up. When it cools sufficiently dip in your flowers and lay them across a few pieces of string, which you can easily fasten through the handles of the dish-pan. If they have not taken up sufficient of the alum to be covered with the crystal when dry, dip them again.

A wash of equal parts of lactic acid and glycerine is said to be an effectual and harmless application for moth and freckles.

Grained wood is much improved in appearance by washing it with cold tea.

SCIENTIFIC MISCELLANY.

Perception of Colors.—Sensations of vision require a definite time of exposure of the retina, which time Mr. J. M. Cattell, of the University of Leipsic, finds to be considerably dependent on the nature of the object and the intensity of the light. It varies with the several colors. Orange gives the quickest impression on the eye, and yellow closely follows it; then come blue, red and green; while the retina is least sensitive to white light, the time for which is from two to three times as long as for orange. By lamp-light the eye works more slowly than by daylight, and the order of perceiving colors is changed to orange, red, yellow, violet and blue.

An Overlooked Material.—A German writer remarks that the compound known as "Zeiodelite," discovered by Simon, has not been used so much as the peculiar advantages would seem to suggest. It is prepared by mixing 25 to 30 parts of powdered glass with 20 parts of melted sulphur. This may be shaped into any design; and it cools into a stony hardness, resisting boiling water and the strongest acids. It can be united at heat of 400 degrees.

A workshop of the stone age has been discovered near the caves of Paris, and has yielded nearly 900 hand-worked flints, including pieces of polished hatchets, scrapers, knives, points, and two or three little polishers.

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An electric light dynamo in London is driven by a steam engine which is said to make 12,000 revolutions per minute, and is claimed to be the first motor ever made to work at the actual velocity of the steam as it escapes from the boiler.

A spiny African caterpiller, seven inches long and of a steel gray color, was exhibited at a recent meeting of the Linnean Society of London.

Insect Smell.—In an extensive series of experiments by Prof. Graber, insects, and many other invertebrates, perceived odors much more quickly and acutely than the vertebrates tested (birds and reptiles). The antennae proved to be not the only organs of smell in insects, although these appear to be essential to the perception of some fine odors. In some cases the palpi of the mouth organs are more sensitive than the antennae, but perception of smell through the stigmata or respiratory organs is not rapid nor important.

Peckert has determined that in the Swan electric lamp the proportion of the energy transformed solely into light is 20.1 per cent.; in the Siemens, 27.9; in the Edison, 26.5; and in the arc lamp, 38.3.

Instantaneous photographs of the hearts and intestines of various animals have enabled Dr. W. G. Thompson to determine the action of the organs more clearly and accurately than is possible by other methods. Such photographs may prove of great value in showing changes effected by drugs, as well as in their physiological teachings.

An Interesting Pet.—The Beaked Chastodon of the Indian and Polynesian seas is a fish of eccentric form and beautiful tints, but its most remarkable feature is its curiously elongated muzzle or beak, which is employed as a gun, with a drop of water for a bullet. Unlike other fishes, this creature does not wait for its prey to fall into the water, but shoots it down like a true sportsman. Seeing a fly, or other insect, on a twig over the water, the Chastodon quietly approaches and, with its nose just above the surface, accurately projects a drop of water at the unsuspecting insect, which is thus knocked from its perch, and is quickly snapped up by the fish. The finny archer is highly prized as a household pet by the Japanese, who keep it in bowls and amuse themselves by watching it "shoot" flies held up before it.

Work of Observatories.—Progress in astronomy no longer depends upon chance observation, but is now effected by a division of labor and a concentration at certain points upon some one particular object of research. The leading observatories all work at specialties. At Harvard the relative magnitude of the stars receives chief attention; at Princeton, spectroscopy; at Allegheny observatory, the dark part of the solar spectrum and the effect of the invisible heat rays on the earth; at the National observatory, positions and orbits of satellites; at Cincinnati, double stars; at Chicago, the surface of Jupiter; and at Albany and Yale, the perfecting of maps of the heavens.

A German chemist, Prof. C. Winkler, has discovered a new element—"Germanium"—in a mineral named Argyrodite, which consists chiefly of sulphur, silver and mercury.

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320 acres fine alfalfa land in the best artesian belt in the State; price $5.00 per acre. Also small tracts. Apply to Curtis & Sweetser, 43¼ S. Spring street.

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Hereafter the Hammam Baths, 78 South Main street, will be open for visitors all Sunday till midnight. Plunges repaired and ready for use. Don't fail to visit this palace of comfort and luxury.

Finest creamery butter at bottom prices. H. Jevne, 38 and 40 N. Spring.

Everybody and their wives are going to Lawrence & Son's for photographs, since the reduction in prices.

Combination coffee finds the largest sale of any coffee in the city; 25 cents per pound, at H. Jevne's, 38 and 40 N. Spring street.

B. Todd, M. D., Dentist, Nadeau Block.

Tourists can find a complete line of lunch goods at H. Jevne's grocery, 38 and 40 N. Spring street.

Insure your property with Ben E. Ward, 31 N. Spring street.

"Harrison, the well-borer," has rebuked prices of well boring. See him before contracting. 113 Bunker Hill ave.

Dr. Williams, specialist in diseases of the head, throat and lungs.

Dr. Urny, Dentist, Schumacher Block.

Tickets for the Heine Quartette recital this evening at Gardner's Music House.

150 cases Grodon & Dillworth's olives and preserves received at H. Jevne's. Cut rate prices.

Give your property to Ben E. Ward to sell.

Dr. Williams claims that every case of catarrh is curable by the Aerian system of practice, when properly administered by an experienced physician. And if experience is of any use Dr. W. should be able to control this disease, after having made a specialty of this class of diseases for nearly twenty years. He claims to have treated over 75,000 cases during that time.

If you are a judge and lover of fine Formosa Oolong, you can be suited at H. Jevne's, 38 and 40 N. Spring street.

Lawrence & Son will continue to take cabinet photographs, until further notice, for $3.50 per dozen.

Tiny Tim's stuffed mangoes. East India gherkins, and Arabian clusters, can be found at H. Jevne's.

For alfalfa and grain land in the great San Joaquin valley, call on Curtis & Sweetser, 43¼ S. Spring street.

Peek, Frean & Co.'s London biscuits and wafers in endless variety, at H. Jevne's, 38 and 40 North Spring street.

Tickets for the Heine Quartette recital this evening at Bartlett's music store.

Dijon mustard at Jevne's.

3000 acres available for fruit or grain, all A 1 land and near B. R.; price $7.50 per acre. For particulars apply to 43¼ S. Spring street.

Johnston's "Finid Beef" at H. Jevne's.

Sixth and last recital of the Heine Quartette this evening, at Nadeau Hall.

Emmenthal Swiss cheese, Roquefort, Menants, Sap-Sago, Edam, pineapple, Parmesan, Petalma and Limburger country cheese always in stock at H. Jevne's Grocery House, 38 and 40 N Spring street.

PERSONAL NEWS.

R. W. Pridham returns by to-morrow's steamer.

Councilman S. M. Perry is among the steamer passenger due to-morrow.

E. W. Burnham, representing R. G. Dun & Co., is in town, "sizing up" people.

J. H. Barclay comes down by the Santa Rosa, which sailed from San Francisco yesterday.

W. E. Poor, of Bussell, Poor & Raney, is among the Santa Rosa's passengers from the north.

Judge Brunson and J. Brousseau, Esq., have gone to San Jacinto for their annual hunt and passar.

J. E. Packard, of Pomona, who has been taking an outing in San Francisco, returned by the Santa Rosa from the north.

Edwin O. Moffatt, of Smith & Moffatt, manufacturers of extracts, soda water syrups, etc., Kansas City, is in the city.

Judge Charles Silent, who has a case in San Francisco attending an important lawsuit, returns by to-day's train from the North.

Thos. McClefrey, telegraph operator at the Southern Pacific depot, is absent in San Francisco, and is expected to return on Wednesday.

Dr. Stephen Bowers, editor of the Ventura Signal, arrived in the city yesterday en route to San Bernardino, where he is to deliver a temperance lecture.

Capt. Richard McNutt, one of Santa Barbara, is in town, in attendance upon the session of the Supreme Court. Captain McNutt is a gentleman retained by lawyer, and a sterling Republican, who in times past, has fought well for both his country and his party.

At the St. Charles: Geo. Gregg, Lowell; Mrs. H O. Thompson, Boston; M. Elliot, Rockford, Ill.; A. M. Forbes and family, W. C. Sheckels, Salem, Neb.; J. F. Bartlett, Miss E. B. Bartlett, Kearney, Neb.; Thomas Grattideman, Omaha, Neb.; H. B. Beers, Chas. M. Stinson, Cleveland, O.; F. M. Sefton, Dayton, O.; Chas. Y. Youngson, Cincinnati.

At the Grand Central: E. H. Wold, Frank Shark, Hanover, Kansas; Ed. Hudson, Fulton Wells; J. W. Butcher, Kestor Ranch; C. F. Schaetz, wife and child; Mrs. Pa.; B. F. Manehan, wife and sister, Lemars, Iowa; J. C. Shafer, Steve Curry, Chicago; Mrs. M. T. Blake and two children, Colorado Springs; J. J. Holland, Dawson Collins and wife, Nebraska City; G. A. Hamlin, San Francisco; J. M. Johnson and wife, Independence, Mo.; John Dowden, Lincoln, Neb.; Harry Parks, Woodward, Iowa; Wm. Gard, Ottawa, Kans.; J. N. Diehl, Fort Worth; Frank Barnes, Bible Grove, Ill.; H. Sumans, Faurick Moran, F. W. Stevenes, L. L. McCracken, F. Stevens, D. N. Skinner, J. M. Sallee, A. C. Newell and wife, Woodward, Iowa; M. D. Brown, S. P. R. R.; J. A. Taylor, Valley Center, Kansas; A. Weaver and wife, K. Y. Bennett, W. Bennett, W. S. Bennett, Kansas City; G. W. Brown, Allison, Neb.; E. W. Keller, E. M. Keller, Pomona; Albert Rehead, Duarte; G. B. Frost, Colton.

Housekeepers.

Remember, the only place in the city to buy Gorham's quadruple-plate knives, forks and spoons, Reed & Barton triple-premium plated ware, Gorham's sterling silverware, genuine French marble clocks, fine bisque, Bohemian and Vienna ware, full line of American clocks, nickel patterns in gold and silver jewelry. Also, the largest stock of gold and silver filigree jewelry, making a beautiful souvenir to send friends in the east.

Jewelry made to order. Watches, clocks and jewelry repaired at the Opera House Jewelry Store.

Heine Quartette Recital.

The sixth recital, given by the Heine Quartette, will occur next Tuesday evening, April 13, at Nadeau Hall, with the following programme:

Sonata, for piano and violoncello, op. 16, No. 7, Kucken.

String Quartette, op. 12, Romberg.

Violin solo, "Fantasie de Concert," Sarasati.

Trio for piano, violin and violoncello, op. 49, Mendelssohn.

Tickets $1, at Gardner's and Bartlett's music stores, and 643 South Fort street.

The Latest.

Ben E. Ward will sell your household furniture, lots or ranches at auction, in a most satisfactory manner.

People

Should bear in mind that the great book sale positively closes on Saturday, April 17th.

THE FESTIVAL.

Its Wind-up in a Blaze of Glory.

ADDRESS OF PRESIDENT, MRS WIDNEY.

A Beautiful Acknowledgment of Services Rendered and a Statement of Noble Aims—Large Receipts.

The Flower Festival, which has gladdened the hearts of the people of Los Angeles and the strangers within our gates for the past two weeks, is concluded. It has been a glorious success in every sense of those words. The exhibit of flowers was more extensive and magnificent than ever before made in California—probably it was as fine a floral display as the world has ever seen. The attendance was uniformly large, and the appreciation was commensurate with the exhibit and the crowd. And, finally, the proceeds of the Festival were full and satisfactory, exceeding somewhat the ideal sum which was fixed upon as necessary to build the home.

The ladies of the Society worked patiently, unremittingly and wisely. Whatever there was in good management, they accomplished, and to them belongs all the credit of this great success.

The Floral Festival is ended; but its beauty in flower, in object, and in achievment, let us hope, will be renewed each year, as the flowers themselves are renewed, with the coming of spring.

According to the programme previously announced, the newsboys and bootblacks were yesterday afternoon given free admission and a lunch in the café. A happy lot of youngsters they were!

In the evening the attendance was large, as usual. Many of the booths were in charge of gentlemen, who did the honors with what grace they could. The San Gabriel and Alhambra booth, so universally praised, and which was so faithfully tended throughout the Festival by Miss Petty and Miss Stanions, was surrendered last evening to N. C. Carter, of "Carterhia." When the ladies called him, he was like Zaccheus, and came down.

The receipts from various sources, up to 3 o'clock yesterday afternoon were as follows:

Ice Cream—Mrs. Prager	$ 340 80
Cafe—Mrs. Spencer Evans	202 95
Chocolate and Strawberries—Mesdames Moore and Maxwell	150 00
Candy Booth—Miss Wilson	223 75
Rods—Miss Hadley	130 75
Lemonade—Mrs. Dupuy and Mrs. Gamble	34 00
Button-hole Bouquets—Miss Dodsworth	75 25
Alhambra Booth—Mrs. Newton	56 80
Flower Booth—Mrs. Porter	46 00
Flower Booth—Mesdames Gillette and Widney	43 10
Grandin	30 25
Flower Booth—Miss Eda Kremer	29 75
Photographs	25 15
Sale of Oranges	33 75
Specimen Rose Booth—Mesdames Bogue and Gibson	12 60
Pop Corn Stand	7 65
Total from booths at 3 p. m.	$1,935 90
Receipts at door	4,030 30
Total receipts at 4 p. m.	$5,966 20

It is probable that the receipts of last evening will swell the grand total to something over $6000.

The hat and cloak booth has been faithfully managed throughout the Festival by Mrs. Judge Perry Davis, Mrs. Chandler, Miss Clara Wollweber, Mrs. West, Miss Ollie Perceval, Miss Daisy Austin and Mrs. Harriett Lang, the latter named as advisory guard. This booth has brought into the fund about $35.

During the progress of the Festival Mrs. Jotham Bixby contributed blossoms of a rare old Mexican plant (*Ornithogalum*), which were much admired.

Most of the out flowers in the several booths were sold last evening for the benefit of the Society.

The feature of the evening was the address of Mrs. B. M. Widney, President of the Society.

PRESIDENT'S ADDRESS.

"But when He saw the multitudes He was moved with compassion on them, because they fainted and were scattered abroad as sheep having no shepherd."

Struggling, fighting, stumbling, falling—how the story has traveled along with the centuries! The Savior emphasized it in His day, and all subsequent history repeats it. One has beautifully said: "We are often called upon to rebut huge ships sunk in the sea, famous old books burnt or lost, beautiful temples shattered by shot or shell, harvests destroyed by storm or drought, and men with splendid gifts going down to an untimely grave, all their training for a life of usefulness ending in abject servile oblivion: but what are all these forms of waste compared to that which has been going on in all lands and ages of the lives of women—waste as regards the purposes of their own moral growth or natural happiness, and waste of their faculties to make the world happier and better."

And thus it is not strange, that a little more than a year ago, when the hearts of two or three ladies were moved by the new stories of struggling life in our midst, they felt as one of years agone that a necessity was laid upon them.

To meet that necessity, an organization was formed, the object of which was beneficence. One month after the organization of this society, our first Flower Festival was held, the net receipts of which were two thousand dollars.

Three months later on the doors of our rented boarding home were thrown wide open, and as many as those whom we sought to benefit correctly understood our work, and its real purpose, our rooms were filled. With the two thousand dollars mentioned, augmented by membership fees, subscriptions, the receipts of an exhibit of Curios, and a donation of $5000 by Mr. and Mrs. Hollenbeck, our expenses have been met, we have bought and paid for a desirable lot on Figueroa street, between Adams and Los Angeles streets, and had on hand at the beginning of this festival one hundred dollars, as a nucleus for a building fund. In addition to this fund there has been presented by benevolent gentlemen lots, one in Santa Monica, two in Hendrick's Heights, one in Boyle Heights, and two at Long Beach. Our present rented Home is so inadequate to the demands—the work which we have been doing, so small, viewed in the light of all our hands are finding to do, that we have builded better than we knew. To help us make this festival the open gateway leading to such a Home capable of accommodating at least fifty. Our bank account testifies to your hearty response. And sure I am that the sentinel which keeps watch at the door of your hearts is saying, "Giving is receiving."

The harvest is great, but we have found the laborers not a few. At the voice of the commander, "Go work to-day in my vineyard," they have marched into line. Witness the result. Far more beautiful than the flowers themselves has been the spirit of the workers. Each in his own place has found it, and all has had little entrance here, but with love, which we are told is greater than all the gift of tongues or prophecy, each and all have labored for the accomplishment of the object in view.

Pleasant as these facts are, our work must have been a failure had not you, the people, given us your hearty co-operation.

Orange, with your golden fruit and flowers; San Gabriel and Alhambra, beautiful in array; Tustin, so gorgeous in display; Santa Ana, with your wealth of roses; Ventura, hand-maiden of the sea; Pasadena, with your types of the old and the new—we give you our thanks.

To Santa Monica, Wilmington, Long Beach, Florence, San Fernando, Pomona, Downey, Sulphur Springs, San Bernardino, Alamitos, Duarte, what can we say of your generous presents?

To Rev. Mr. Colburn, for the time, thought, taste and skill, which he so unselfishly gave, in designing the plans for the interior decorations of this building, it is impossible for us speak our thanks.

The Women's Temperance Union bring us the shield, and the Young Women's Christian Temperance Union the anchor, emblems of safety.

The Grand Army, Geleich Post No. 106, the Women's Relief Corps of the Grand Army, the Ladies' Auxiliary Corps of Frank Bartlett Post, all have shown in a manner most beautiful that they are in sympathy with those who toil on a field where neither sword nor musket are used.

Many eyes have looked upon this temple dedicated to Flora. Lilies by the thousands, roses by the tens of thousands, violets and pansies without number. Shall the story of soil, air and sunshine, which make possible this wealth, reach no farther than the roar of the breakers on the west, and the cloud-capped San Jacinto on the east? No, ere our first roses were withered, the voice of the press had taken up the story, and now they in the uttermost parts of the earth have heard. Having heard, will they not want to see? What were our fair land with its fairer flowers but for the press? To the hundreds in our beautiful city what shall we say? Such kindness, such generosity, such helpfulness, surely the angels must have beheld with delight. Do you ask, what of the future? When our home is built is it our purpose also to welcome to its care and protection young women to whom the field of knowledge has heretofore been forbidden because of limited means.

Year after year with the proceeds of our annual Flower Festival, we hope to accomplish a work in some benevolent department. There are the aged in our midst, fainting by the way, sadly in need of a home. Then, at the other border land, God pity them! the babes lives not born into a home of love and care. A foundling hospital would protect this class. And now, grateful as we are, to all who have in any way assisted us, we shall ask for favors in larger measure for next April's Festival.

If next to the Divine is the love of the beautiful; if for our children and neighbor's children it is desirable to provide a beautiful, educating, refining resort for recreation and enjoyment; if the example of the Christ, who went about ministering to the wants of the weary, dejected and needy, is anything, then for those reasons and others we shall ask your hearty co-operation for our next festival. [Prolonged applause.]

The Seventh Infantry Band discoursed sweet music during the remainder of the evening, and, about 10 o'clock, the assemblage dispersed.

Mrs. Widney received many congratulations on her address.

You Do Not Want Money.

And don't pay rent. Just see how you can manage—even the smallest salaried saleslady or man. John C. Bell, the auctioneer, sells on the Morgan tract, Highland View, 100 elegant, large, villa residence lots, by the acre, on Tuesday at 11 o'clock, on the installment plan. Whoever purchases our lots, we will make arrangements with him to borrow the money, and in this way you will soon get rich; you will own a nice home; you will not know how you became the owner of it. Wash you pay rent, at the end of the year you have nothing to show for it. Take the San Gabriel and Pasadena railroad. Three trains leave on the morning of sale, at 10:45 and 11 o'clock, 25 cents round trip.

Angelene Heights.

This is the very appropriate name given the tract lately purchased and subdivided by Stilison, Hall & McCrory, on Temple street, west of the Sisters' Hospital. The soil is a light sandy loam, the elevation high—commanding a grand mountain and ocean view; and, being on the line of the Temple street cable railroad, is the most eligible site now in the market. Nearly one hundred lots have already been sold, and several handsome dwellings will soon be in course of construction. The best of water has been secured and is now being conducted to the grounds. J. C. Byram & Co., corner of Spring and Franklin streets, will show you the lots and assist you in making a good selection. Don't be too late.

These Fine Lots and the Excursion.

In the Highland View Tract is the lovely. It costs you nothing to ride out. The carriages go free every day from Nadeau Block, at 9 o'clock. George W. Morgan, Esq., will show you over the grounds. Beautiful, large, fine villa residence lots, commanding from one to five acres each. John C. Bell will sell on the 13th at 11 o'clock, on the grounds. The elegant excursion—free lunch. On the morning of sale, take the San Gabriel and Pasadena Railroad; 25 cents for the round trip. The lots will be sold on the installment plan. These lots are sold by the acre. They will be large enough to feed horse and cow, and raise all the vegetables for your family.

Free Carriages—An Excellent Opportunity.

All parties wishing to purchase and visit Morgan's elegant Highland View tract, take notice—That you can ride free to-day, Sunday, 1:30 p.m. sharp, from block every morning at 9 o'clock sharp, and will take you quickly to the ground. G. W. Morgan, Esq., will be happy to see all who may come, and will show you over the grounds. John C. Bell, the auctioneer, will sell on the 13th at 11 o'clock, on the premises. Don't forget our great excursion. Free lunch on the day of sale. City Band will accompany us. Round trip only 25 cents. Go and see this beautiful place before the day of sale.

The Great Auction Sale and Grand Excursion.

Take the San Gabriel and Pasadena railroad—three trains, 10, 10¼ and 11 o'clock—25 cents round trip. Free lunch, band of music, and an elegant time. Highland View tract of Geo. W. Morgan, Esq. Sale takes place at 11 o'clock, by John C. Bell, the auctioneer. A carriage will leave for the tract this day, at 9 o'clock, from Nadeau block. Go and see it.

500 Pictures.

There are 500 pictures exhibited at the Vienna Theater, to be auctioned off on Thursday, the 16th inst.

Your Last Chance.

The great book sale closes this week.

Free Art Exhibition.

At the Vienna Theater a fine assortment of oil paintings, steel line engravings and oilographs will be sold by John C. Bell, the auctioneer, on the 15th of this month. Go and see them before the sale.

The Great Book Sale

Positively closes Saturday, April 17th. Do not miss it.

Postponement Phillips's Popular Pleasure Pavilion.

Next East-bound excursion advertised to leave April 16, will leave Saturday, April 17, sure. Call on or address A. Phillips & Co., 134 North Main street.

Your Last Chance

For a library. The great book sale closes Saturday, April 17th.

To Contractors.

Contractors and others contemplating building at Santa Monica, can buy lumber, doors, windows, lath, hardware, and everything in builder's line, of W. D. Vawter & Co., at Los Angeles prices.

Come at Once

and purchase the best standard works below wholesale prices. The publishers' book sale positively closes Saturday, April 17th. Do not miss it.

The Southern California Insurance Company

Have money to loan on real estate security at favorable rates of interest. Also, they solicit a share of public patronage in protecting against loss or damage by fire. Office 241 North Main street.

The Last Week

Of the great publishers' book sale. Do not miss it.

Passenger Movements.

TO ARRIVE BY RAIL.

By Telegraph to the Times.

MANCHER, April 10.—The following passengers, bound for Los Angeles, passed here this evening:

N Sorano and nephew, Sonora; W Greensegerg and wife, Council Bluffs; M H Mintzer, Colton; C Silent, Los Angeles; Mrs L Meyers and two children, Phoenix; L M Jones, New Orleans; J H Bacon, Illinois; W D Sewall, Miss Papst, J Blinn, A Rass, San Francisco; E Packard, Pomona; J D Westervelt, Los Angeles; D Moody and wife, Alameda, Mrs M H Wheeler and two children, San Francisco; N N Tisdlen and wife, Iowa; J W Barrel, Texas; C Meyers, New York; Washington Porter, Chicago; A D Wilder and child, Oakland.

TO ARRIVE BY STEAMER.

SAN FRANCISCO, April 10.—The following is a list of passengers by the steamer Santa Rosa for Los Angeles:

W C Martin, C Kimball, Mrs Kimball, Ross Hartwell, S H Rowman and wife, Mrs A H Cantien, E Long, wife and two children, P McKnikell, B Andrade, S M Perry, Mrs Brown, J G Gluaby and wife, Mrs H H Conkling and two children, Miss J Starr, W C Keating, G H Moon, J Colson, Mrs J Welch, J Perry, Mrs Hooker, two children and maid, W B Holland, Mrs Elliott, A M Ehdelis, George H Hayes, J H Barclay, Miss Minnie Bunker, M T Peck, Miss Herring, Mrs Bauman, Miss A L Russell, J D Vogen, J W Henderson, Joseph Mullin, R W Pridham, J S Comman, William Conley, W F Garlick, J F G Johnson, H B Sandsu, J Deiss, J A Silvas, W L Walsh, A M Kitchen, B J Hopkins, E C Hammond, W Cole, Eli Massenger, F T Wilson, Mrs G Jenner, Mrs Hardie, W F Poor, B C Sharp, Mr Peck, C V Mettler, F H Moore, A J Hitt, Mrs D J Whipple, W Bassell, J H Bagley, Mrs A Edwards, F M Grierson, S B Grierson, Jr, R McBride.

DEPARTURES BY STEAMER.

The Eureka sailed for northern way ports yesterday with the following passengers from this city:

For San Francisco: H L Mossley, Ed Henson, F L Maxwell, H Savage, Frank Filmer, Patrick Sharkey, Gilbert Martino.

For Monterey: F H Hutchinson, Frank J Waterous, J H Smith.

For Port Harford: J H Holton.

For Santa Barbara: F Loyd, J A Bovetta.

For Ventura: F W Merrick and wife, Miss F Walker, Mrs Ada Crane and daughter, Miss Jennie L Thompson, Thomas Conneff, F H Meyers.

RUNAWAY.

Mrs. O. W. Childs Sustains Some Injury.

Yesterday afternoon between 3 and 4 o'clock two horses attached to a farmer's heavy wagon ran away on Los Angeles street, from the vicinity of Nick Corrubias's stable, towards First street Officer Bosqui saw them coming and threw his coat over their heads, with the idea of turning them aside at the corner of First street. Just at this time, Mrs. O. W. Childs and another lady came along in a two-horse buggy, and fearing that they would be run into, Mrs. Childs jumped out, falling in the street, and receiving a severe cut near the right eye, from which blood profusely flowed. The other lady remained in the buggy and escaped injury, although the runaway team missed collision by almost a hair's breadth. The farmer's team was stopped near Spring street before further damage could occur.

The Publishers' Book Sale

Positively closes Saturday evening, April 17th.

Think of It!

The splendid lots in the Urmston tract (level with Main and Spring streets) are selling at $200 in installments, without interest! Lots miles away, over the river, they ask $700 to $2000 for, even at auction.

For the celebrated Rogers silver-plated ware, go to Parmelee's Bazar.

Books Will Close!

The subscriptions to the Urmston tract will doubtless close this week.

Headquarters.

Will sell for one week only, commencing from Saturday, April 10:

Ladies' French kid button shoes at $2.75; worth $4.

Ladies' curseos kid button shoes at $2; worth $3.25.

Ladies' pebble goat button shoes at $1.40; worth $2.50.

Men's calf English walkers at $3; worth $3.50.

Children's pebble goat button shoes at $1; worth $1.50.

These prices are good for one week only.

209 Downey Block, North Main street.

Only One Thing Needed.

Visit the Urmston tract. A view is sufficient. It is the handsomest residence property in Los Angeles.

At E. Adam's Clothing House, 15 South Spring Street,

Everything marked in plain figures. Come and see our $12.50 silk mixed suit, suitable for the spring season.

To-Day! To-Day!

'Busses every half hour from 9 a. m., to the Urmston tract. Fare 5 cents. Starting point, 303 N. Main street.

Extra Chance

For home-seekers: 6 or 12 acres, covered with choice bearing deciduous fruit trees, with exceptional building site, extensive outlook, near churches, school and school; admirably suited for dividing part or all into lots; on line of proposed street railway, and but three minutes' walk from present line, in location rapidly filling with good buildings; as healthful and attractive a location as can be found in the city. This case is well worthy of investigation. Principals, only, apply to owner, Room 13, Nadeau Block, between 2 and 3 p. m., or at 19 N. Spring st.

Have You Been In?

The 'busses Friday and Saturday took out over 100 persons to the Urmston tract, just beyond Figueroa and Washington streets. The result is 106 lots subscribed for in 48 hours.

At E. Adam's Clothing House

You can get a nice working suit for $6.

Men's worsted suit for $10.

Imported cassimere suit for $18.

All-wool cassimere suit for $15.

4-button cut-away suit for $20.

Bargains for everybody. Don't fail to call at 15 S. Spring street.

Waste No Words.

Go see the Urmston tract; nothing else is necessary.

Consult Mrs. Dr. Wells for all diseases of women. Prompt relief for female irregularities. Treatment also devoted to electro-thermal and medicated baths. Consultation free. 341 Spring street.

Your Money

Is deposited in the Los Angeles National Bank for the Urmston tract.

One Price to All

At E. Adam's Clothing House.

Maps Ready.

Obtain Maps of the Urmston tract at 263 N. Main street.

Eastern Prices Rule Now at McDonell's Drug Store, 371 North Main Street.

The profit usually realized by the drug trade is far in excess of eastern prices.

The purest drugs can and shall be sold as low as in Chicago or New York. For instance, we will sell you—

One pound best gum camphor, 25 cents—regular price, 40 cents.

Colgate's Dandruff Bouquet soap, 25 cents per cake—regular price, 38 cents.

Our prices for everything else are all as low as in the East. Prescriptions compounded by experts only, at genuine eastern prices. Remember, McDonnell, the druggist.

Look at the Names.

Read the names of those who have taken 106 lots in the Urmston tract since Friday.

E. Adam's Clothing House.

$12.50 will buy you a nice, perfect-fitting, all-wool cassimere suit, latest pattern. Call 15 S. Spring street.

The Woman's Exchange.

First—Is intended to benefit deserving and industrious women by affording an opportunity to dispose of their work to persons who are willing to purchase useful articles.

Second—The Exchange can furnish choice articles of food cooked to order, ready made fancy articles, and everything that requires woman's work—and here is an opportunity for the generous-hearted to do a gracious act and yet get the full worth of their money. The commission for selling is barely enough to pay the small expenses of the Exchange. Call and see the work. 17 S. Main street,

E. Adam's Clothing House.

It will be surely to your advantage to look through our well-selected spring stock of perfect-fitting clothing, at prices which defy competition. Call 15 S. Spring street.

For a hygienic and invigorating beverage, use Ghirardelli's soluble cocoa.

The Woman's Christian Temperance Union meets the second and fourth Thursdays of each month, at 2:30 p. m., at the First Presbyterian Church.

Immigration Association.

Persons having business with me, can find me hereafter at the rooms of the Immigration Association, 57 N. Spring street, each day.

H. H. BOYCE.

The grand raffle of the $1000 diamond ring will take place at Fred. Linde's jewelry store, 112 N. Main street, where the beautiful gem is on exhibition. Call and see it and purchase a ticket.

DEATHS.

SCHLADOR—Friends and acquaintances are respectfully invited to attend the funeral of F. H. schlador at 10 o'clock Sunday, the 11th inst., from his residence, 522 San Fernando street, corner Ann.

Statement of Substance of Certificate of Special Partnership.

THE NAME OF THE PARTNERSHIP IS Threlkeld & Bacon. The business is storage and commission business in California and other produce of all kinds.

The names, etc., of partners are James B. Threlkeld, general partner, residing at Los Angeles, Cal., and Fielding Bacon, special partner, residing at Los Angeles, Cal.

Amount of capital contributed by said Fielding Bacon, special partner, is one thousand and thirty-seven dollars and fifty cents ($1037.50), which sum has been actually paid in by him in lawful money of the United States.

Time of beginning of said partnership is April 12, 1886. Time of its ending is February 6, 1888.

Principal place of business is Los Angeles, California.

The certificate, of which the foregoing statement contains the substance, has been duly signed and acknowledged by us in duplicate, and filed and recorded according to law.

Dated April 10, 1886.

JAMES B. THRELKELD,
General Partner.
FIELDING BACON,
Special Partner.

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FOR SALE.

I HAVE SOME CHOICE STOCK RANCHES with plenty of wood and water; one of 3000 acres; two of 400 each; one of 2760 acres, one of 1061 acres, with plenty of wood and water; one of 2000 acres, which will divide nicely for a small colony. Also, I have from one to six of the choicest 5-acre lots on Boyle Heights, with water for irrigation and domestic uses, and the best view the city affords; and some nice slightly residence lots and houses and lots. One choice slightly place of about one acre, close to street car line. I also loan money. Apply to

J. MES HAMMELL,
At Room 12, Schumacher Block,
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$9000—Beautiful place on Hill st., large nice house, with all modern conveniences full lot, very pretty location.

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$3500—Four acres inside city. All in bearing fruit. New house of 5 large hardfinished rooms, small barn; splendid well of water, certainly a bargain.

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$1150—House of four rooms, hard finished; good well of water with pump; nice lot; has rented for $15 per month; good lot, all inclosed. Certainly cheap.

$2000—Nice cottage of 6 rooms, bath, pantry, closets, marble top wash stand, etc.; lot 60x130; close to Olive st. cars; shrubbery and lawn. See it.

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$1200—Lot on west side of Olive st., 50x150, must build.

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No. 4—Running—Half mile and repeat; free for all; purse $150; weight for age.

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No. 5—Trotting—purse $250; 2:30 class; mile heats, 3 in 5. Open to La Grange.

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